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For Others

HOW CONSTANT ARE YOU?

A few months ago, if a young man in khaki came into your place of business and asked to see you, all doors opened before him. If he came to ask you to do something, you were grateful for the opportunity. His uniform was the sure passport to your enthusiastic support, because you realized the part the uniform was playing in defending your home and your government and establishing their liberties.

Tomorrow the young man will come again. He will be wearing a uniform, but he will be wearing a star-shaped button in his lapel. But that star-shaped button is the sign that he wears the uniform honorably, that he played his part in the great job for which you revered the khaki while it was doing. If you honored the uniform while the work was on, how much more does the star-shaped button deserve your recognition as an insignia of the successful accomplishment of the great job!

How constant are you?

The young man is coming to you to repay an obligation he incurred in the service. He cannot forget the men and women who without premature of military duty went with him into the barracks and with him to feed and warm and comfort him.

Can you forget them? It was you who gave them the doughnuts and cigarettes you wanted the men to have. You saw them there. Some of them died to carry out your trust. Some of them were wounded and crippled—all of them took the same risk as the soldiers you sent them to help. Haven't their successful fulfillment of this trust of yours put you a little in their debt?

And yet these men who came to you wearing the star-shaped button, and these people of the Salvation Army, and these representatives, are not coming for themselves. The Salvation Army folks get a bare subsistence from the Army's funds—no living at which the average soldier's family would wrinkle its brow. And the American Legion, which presents their case doesn't get a nickel.

They are asking for others—as they have always done. They are asking you right now to help in one of the most pitiful and miserable places civilization knows. They want you to give a nickel to the orphaned mother, the poor girl who through weakness or want or betrayal has come to the bottom of Hell.

They want to bring her up. They want to be able to see her through her sufferings, to show her a future that is not empty of hope and to guide her feet past the slough of despair on the path toward it.

So tomorrow the young man with the star-shaped button who wore your uniform in a defense will come to you again. Behind him stand the self-sacrificing people who took their lives earnestly in hand to give him the comforts you wanted your sons to have on the fighting line. And beside them stand the orphaned and broken, her hands extended in the plea of the helpless and hopeless, the one for whom alone the others remain you of their services.

They ask a little help, a little help, for her.

How constant are you?

THE WEATHER RECORD

For La Crosse and vicinity—Unsettled weather tonight and Wednesday with probably rain. Not much change in temperature.

For Wisconsin—Unsettled weather tonight and Wednesday with probably rain in east and south portions. Not much change in temperature.

For Minnesota—Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday; somewhat unsettled in east and south portions. Not much change in temperature.

For Iowa—Unsettled weather tonight and Wednesday with probably rain in east and central portions. Slightly cooler in west portion tonight.

WINDY TEMPERATURES

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BRITAIN ON DEFENSIVE AGAINST SINN FEIN

JAPS TO DROP DEMANDS FOR RACE EQUALITY

Will Await More Opportune Time Viscount Ishii Announces at Meeting of League Assembly

COMING WEEK IS CRITICAL PERIOD FOR THE LEAGUE

Amendment Committee Empowered to Treat With U. S. is Recommended

LONDON.—The league of nations commission of control has arranged an armistice between Lithuania and Gen. Zeligowski the insurgent commander at Vilna, according to a Kovno dispatch which reached London Tuesday evening.

WASHINGTON.—(By the Associated Press.)—President Wilson has accepted the invitation of the league of nations to act as mediator in the Armenian situation.

The president's acceptance is conditioned upon the use of moral influence. He explains that he is without authority to employ force without the consent of congress.

GENEVA, Nov. 30.—By The Associated Press.—The Japanese delegation will not make any proposal for racial equality at this session of the assembly of the league of nations, it was announced by Viscount Ishii at Tuesday morning's session of the assembly.

"Japan will patiently bide her time," said Viscount Ishii, "until an opportune moment shall present itself."

The Japanese delegation, he added, had decided to withdraw its protest against annual meetings of the assembly, although it requires five months for a delegation from Japan to make the long journey and return. He recommended meetings every two years with special meetings in emergencies, but said he would not press the point.

The Japanese delegate made these declarations in speaking on the report of the commission on rules, which was read to the full assembly by Delegate Ferrari of Italy. The committee based its report on the principle that the assembly is the sovereign organism of the league, but is not permanent, and that the executive committee is the permanent power with the secretariat as the continuous medium for the execution of the decisions of both assembly and committee. Some complex questions regarding the relations between the assembly and the council were reserved by the commission for further discussion.

League at Critical Point
Many delegates to the assembly of the league of nations regard the coming week as the most critical period in the history of the organization. Questions which have been settled in committee by a majority vote, must be decided in the assembly by a unanimous vote. The only exception is in the case of the election of new members and amendments.

If the assembly proves capable of agreeing without a dissenting vote on the different problems to be placed before it during the next few days, it will, in the estimation of some of the leading members, have passed a most dangerous point.

The council of the league was engaged during its entire session with the question of mandates and could not proceed to the election of a successor to Sir Ronald Tower as high commissioner at Danzig.

It seems probable that a definite solution of the question relative to the economic blockade will not be reached at this session. A resolution passed by the sub-committee on blockades Monday proposed that an international commission on blockades be appointed by the council, and this body

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TO STOP GYPSIES TELLING FORTUNES AIM OF OFFICIALS

Two Women Operating in Office Near Third and Main to be Haled Into Court

STARTED AS PHRENOLOGISTS WITHOUT PAYING LICENSE HERE

Claimed Dark-Skinned Women Have Been Reaping Harvest

Two gypsy women who, it is claimed, have been reaping a financial harvest in a "phrenologist parlor" at 302 Main street, for the past two months, will be arrested late this afternoon on a charge of violating the city ordinance prohibiting clairvoyants operating in this city without a license.

The gypsies arrived in La Crosse early in October and rented the first floor office at 302 Main street, paying \$60 per month for the place, on the representation that they were going to practice phrenology. There is no ordinance in effect here licensing phrenology or prohibiting its practice here, although there is an ordinance requiring clairvoyants to obtain a license for \$25 before operating in this city.

Many complaints of the machinations of the gypsy women who have been conducting the business at 302 Main street, have been filed with the authorities. It was claimed by several that the women charged them fees ranging all the way from a dollar to six dollars for "telling their fortune." Phrenology was not practiced, it was said, but the women did practice clairvoyance.

City Attorney Oscar J. Swennes, who started the actions against the gypsies today, said that the police are watching the place where the women have been operating.

The women will be arraigned in city police court. Under the ordinance, clairvoyants operating without a license here are liable to a fine of not less than \$10 nor more than \$100.

WIDOW OF GERMAN ASKS RETURN OF SEIZED PROPERTY

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal.—Luciene H. Boggs, general counsel for the alien property custodian, is here to discuss with federal investigating officers the legal matters concerning the seven million dollar estate of Herman Sieteken, known as a "coffee king," who died in Baden, Germany, several years ago. Mr. Boggs arrived Monday night.

Mrs. Clara Sieteken, the widow, is seeking to have her husband declared an American citizen and thus, government officials say, recover property valued at many millions seized by the alien property custodian during the war. She asserts her husband was naturalized at an unknown place in California sometime between 1890 and 1897, and that his certificate of naturalization and other papers later were lost.

ORDERED FROM HOME, ABUSED, WIFE SAYS, ASKS FOR A DIVORCE

Married life was anything but pleasant, according to a complaint in divorce proceedings filed in circuit court by Mrs. Ruby Lundie against Edgar Lundie. They were married in Winona, Oct. 18, 1918. Soon thereafter her husband became cruel, Mrs. Lundie charges, and committed acts of violence. She says he never would take her to places of amusement but went alone and remained out until "unseasonable hours." On Sept. 15, last, she was ordered out of her home, she declares, and had to go to the home of her parents. Besides a divorce Mrs. Lundie asks for suitable alimony.

DOG DISCHARGES GUN MAINE HUNTER KILLED

YORK, Me.—The carcass of his dog resulted in the killing of Herbert E. Ware, a hunter, Monday. Ware was leaning on his rifle when the dog in play jumped upon him, and in so doing stepping upon the trigger of the weapon, discharging a bullet into Ware's right eye.

OVER NINE HUNDRED DOLLARS IS CHARITY BALL'S BIG PROFIT

The Charity Ball cleared a little over nine hundred dollars, a record surpassed only by that of 1919. The Charity Ball is La Crosse's one big community party, and is made possible only by the active co-operation of its citizens. The managers feel deeply indebted to all those who contributed to its success, either by work or by donations.

INDIAN SEARCHING PARTY FINDS TWO SURVIVORS OF WRECKED CHILEAN BARGE

SEATTLE, Wash.—Two surviving members of the crew of the missing barge W. J. Pirrie and the body of a third were found by an Indian search party near Cape Johnson, Washington, Monday night, according to a telegram from Clallam Bay, Wash., to the Seattle Merchants' Exchange.

The Indians arrived at Clallam Bay Tuesday bringing the news of the finding of the two sailors, the message said. They were unable to find any trace of the barge, which when last seen carried twenty-three persons, including the captain's wife and baby.

The Indians said the two sailors told them they had come ashore Friday night on lumber from the Pirrie, after the barge had sunk off Cape Johnson. They said they had seen the bodies of Captain Alfred Jensen and the first mate, but knew nothing of the fate of the other members of the crew, or of the wife and infant son of Captain Jensen, who were aboard the boat.

The two men were taken to La Push, Washington, where they were cared for. Both were Chileans and were unable to speak English. Searching parties left immediately for the beach north of Cape Johnson, where it was expected more bodies would be found.

GRAND JURY TAKES UP LOCAL ACTIONS IS BELIEF TODAY

Police Officers Among Those Summoned Before Federal Jury During Morning

That the federal grand jury is considering local liquor cases involving alleged violations of the prohibition law, was indicated Tuesday morning, when several police officers appeared in the ante-room adjoining the chamber in which the jury is convened, evidently awaiting their turn to be called as witnesses before the secret tribunal.

Raid conducted fair week, when several local saloonmen were arrested were recalled when the police officers appeared in the witness room. It is expected the grand jury will finish its deliberations here the latter part of this week or early next week, although adjournment may be delayed until a later date.

SUE FOR DAMAGES FROM COLLISIONS WITH SILENT COP

OSHKOSH, Wis.—Four claims for damages aggregating \$5,660.85, arising out of automobile collisions with the concrete "silent policeman" at a prominent corner, have been brought against the city. Two suits are based on the injuries recently sustained by Fred Bangs and the wrecking of his automobile, when the machine hit the heavy post, S. J. Reigh and A. H. Davis seek small sums for damages to automobiles that hit the post.

BOLLING DENIES CHARGE THAT HE ACCEPTED BRIBE

Appears Before Shipping Board Probe Committee to Ask Investigation

NEW YORK.—Denial that he had ever taken money for influencing the disposition of contracts for machinery by the United States shipping board, as charged by T. K. Sands, former Washington banker, coupled with a request that all of his business transactions with Sands be investigated, "both for my own and my family's sake," was made before the Walsh congressional committee here Tuesday by R. W. Bolling, President Wilson's brother-in-law, and now treasurer of the shipping board.

Mr. Bolling told of business transactions with Sands dating back to 1916 and earlier years, out of which grew several financial transactions. He said his personal records were all available for inspection. Sands has testified that he received \$40,000 from the Downey Shipbuilding corporation for "representing before the board" out of which he paid money to Mr. Bolling.

FORMER EMPRESS OF GERMANY IN CRITICAL STATE

DOORN, Holland.—By The Associated Press.—Former Empress Augusta Victoria of Germany, who is critically ill as a result of a heart attack, was reported at noon to be in a sinking condition. At that time she was unconscious.

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THE RULES ARE SIMPLE; CONTEST OPENS AT ONCE. SEE TRIBUNE AND LEADER-PRESS FOR DETAILS TOMORROW!

FIGHT AFFECTING LIFE OF SOCIETY CONFRONTS EQUITY

Convention to Vote on Plan for Merger With Farm Bureau Federation

BATTLE OPENS WITH DEBATE AT "EQUITY RALLY" FRIDAY

Tittemore Takes Stand Against Consolidation

BY ROBERT S. ALLEN (Special Correspondent.)

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—One thousand dairy farmers, representing every part of the state, opened the fifteenth annual convention of the Wisconsin Union of the American Society of Equity at the Auditorium Tuesday morning with a great burst of song, singing America's national anthem, "The Star Spangled Banner."

In all the history of spectacular equity convention fights it was forecast that the fight to be seen on the floor of the convention this year will overshadow all encounters of previous years.

Confronting the delegates is the question of the very life of the Equity society. It has been proposed that the Equity society and the Wisconsin Farm Bureau consolidate into one farmers' organization. The membership of the Equity society is 30,000; the Farm Bureau has about 8,000. The Farm Bureau has been in Wisconsin two years and has a national membership of over a million.

Fight is On
A preliminary of the bitter fight that the convention will see was staged at a meeting held in the assembly room of the Republican house last night. The gathering was announced as an "Equity rally."

For a half hour or so various farmer delegates made complimentary speeches praising the "principles of equity." While all the time the forces for and against the consolidation were waiting an opportune moment to throw the question into a debate.

The issue was finally raised and for four hours running past midnight bells the several hundred delegates in the crowded chamber sat or stood listening to a bitter wrangle, in which the "lie" was passed and accusations charged against each side by the other.

Speeches were made, orations delivered as each side of the proposal unburdened its praise or opposition. Otto Rohm, Appleton, member of the state board of directors, acting as chairman for the meeting, finally lifted each man to ten minutes. This worked a hardship on several of the orators.

The Farm Bureau advocates were led by J. Fred Larson, Ellsworth, who admitted last night that he was the originator of the idea. With him were Frank Tilly, Chippewa Falls; E. C. Pommerening, Chippewa Falls, and Noyse Matteson, Clintonville.

Arranged on the opposition were James Clemens, Uniontown; Pat Stevens, St. Croix; Joseph Hogan, Wausau; Paul Schweitzer, Merrill; J. B. Houston, Madison.

Tittemore Taken Floor
Through the long debate J. N. Tittemore, retiring president of the society, whose support both sides had claimed, sat silently, indicating neither by applause or word how he stood. The meeting was on the verge of breaking up when Tittemore asked for the floor. It was a dramatic moment.

The stand of most of the members of the board of directors for the idea had been taken as a clue to the Farm Bureau's stand. Farm Bureau advocates had passed the word that they were sure "J. N." was for the idea.

"Stand by Equity!"
Taking the floor the little man gazed around at the crowd and then in three words curtly settled the matter. "Stand by Equity!" he exclaimed, solemnly raising his right hand with clenched fist.

Pandemonium broke loose. The meeting broke up as a result of the action. The edge of the contest was with the opponents to the consolidation proposal.

Instead of damping the Board of directors' continued Tittemore, "Stand by Equity. The Equity business plan is far greater than the Farm Bureau. We must not let them swallow us. Let us let us talk to them, let us meet with them, but let us stick by Equity. The Equity business plan is the business plan of the Steel Trust. Only instead of a few taking the profits we all will get the profits. Let us do our farm business as the corporation does it, only let us do it for ourselves."

Tittemore's opposition is considered as much strength to the anti-consolidation forces.

LONDON TAKES ON AIR OF AN ARMED CAMP

Soldiers Guard Public Buildings While Armed Motorboats Patrol Thames Before Parliament

CORK CITY HALL AND OTHER BUILDINGS REPORTED BURNING

Damage of Saturday Night Fires at Liverpool Estimated at \$5,000,000

LONDON.—Public buildings in London and in many of the other large cities of England were closely guarded against apprehended Sinn Fein attacks by heavy detachments of police and detectives Monday night. In this city the patrol was not limited to streets, but armed motorboats moved up and down the Thames in front of parliament buildings. With Downing street and its immediate neighborhood shut off from the rest of the city by a high fence, constantly under the eyes of uniformed men, and with the parliament buildings sentinelled with government sections of London today assumed the atmosphere of an armed camp.

There is nothing to connect the Sinn Fein with the explosion of a bomb in a warehouse in Old Swan lane, this city, early Tuesday morning, but people ascribed it to that organization. The bomb, which apparently was carried into the warehouse in a traveling bag and left there to explode by means of a time fuse, was heard over a wide area and blew out windows of buildings nearby. It started a fire, but police and firemen, extinguished the flames before they gained headway. The street where the warehouse is situated has been closed by the police. It is a narrow thoroughfare near London bridge and contains no dwelling houses.

Experts from Scotland Yard examined the building. Damage from the fire was slight. Several firms, shipping agents and manufacturers used the building.

Liverpool Damage Big
Several men suspected of setting fire to warehouses in Liverpool on Saturday are under arrest. It is claimed American gunmen are in that city and assertion is made that men wanted in Ireland for shooting policemen and soldiers have crossed the Irish sea to Liverpool. The financial loss by Saturday night's fires in Liverpool is estimated at a million pounds sterling.

The killing of fifteen police recruits at Macroom, Ireland, Monday, has been followed by reprisals by the "Black and Tans" and it is reported there is an exodus of frightened people from towns near where the recruits were attacked.

Masked men entered and set fire to the building of the Dublin Freeman's Journal last night. Considerable damage was done the building. Scores of new armaments have been made in various districts of Ireland, among the places raided by military forces being a lunatic asylum near Ennis.

Glasgow and the Clyde shipbuilding district have been placed under close guard and it is declared by the authorities that many Sinn Feiners are known to be in Scotland.

Cork City Hall Burns
The city hall at Cork was set on fire Tuesday morning, and reports from that city state the Thomas Ashe Sinn Fein club and the Charlotte quay are ablaze. Much damage has been done, it is stated.

Find Bomb at Marshfield
The police discovered a small bomb at Marshfield, four and a half miles southwest of here Tuesday.

Another bomb was found at Runney, which is partly in the borough of Cardiff.

Labor Committee to Dublin
LONDON.—The labor committee of inquiry into the reprisals in Ireland left for Dublin Tuesday. The party comprises representatives of the labor parliamentary party and the labor executive body.

Italians Ask Probe
ROME.—Inquiry into the Irish situation is favored by Catholic members of the Italian parliament, who declare there is a basis for demanding such an inquiry. Assertions are made that the situation in Ireland is quite similar to those in the Congo region of Africa, Bulgaria and Armenia, which in the past were investigated.

2 MORE
SHOPPING DAYS
TILL
CHRISTMAS

DAVIS TO CONTINUE NEGOTIATIONS WITH JAPAN ON LAND LAW

Absence of Colby Won't Interrupt Parley; Plan Law to Bar Japanese Coolies

WASHINGTON.—By The Associated Press.—Negotiations between the United States and Japan looking to a new treaty growing out of the adoption of the anti-alien land law in California will not be interrupted by reason of the visit of Secretary Colby to South America. It was said Monday that since Under Secretary Davis was fully acquainted with the details of the negotiations he and Roland S. Morris, American ambassador to Japan, could bring them to a conclusion.

State department officers are to confer with leaders in the senate and house before the negotiations are completed. In this connection it was learned that the exclusion of Japanese coolies from this country is to be accomplished, not simply by an imperial decree, but by American law. This will involve legislation by congress probably in connection with the whole subject of immigration restrictions which are now being considered by the senate and house immigration committees.

TOKIO.—Canadian missionaries in Manchuria have sent a signed statement to the Associated Press, telling of alleged massacres by Japanese troops in Tso Chien Tao.

THE T B C ALPHABET

(By L. F. B. of the W. A. T. A.)
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PHONE RAISES GRANTED SEVEN BADGER FIRMS

OSHKOSH, Wis.—City officials have received notification of an increase in rates granted by the state railroad commission to the Wisconsin Telephone company for its service at its Oshkosh, Racine, Appleton, Beloit, Kenosha, Fond du Lac and Green Bay exchanges. The increases allowed are not as high as asked for.

DENY APPEAL OF NEGROES
LITTLE ROCK, Ark.—Mandates were received here Monday by the clerk of the state supreme court from the United States supreme court, denying the appeal to that court of the cases of the six negroes, convicted of murder in connection with Elaine riots.

MAY 30 PROPOSED AS WORLD MEMORIAL DAY

International Council of Veterans' Societies Formed at Paris
PARIS.—Recommendation that the veteran organizations of all the allied countries observe May 30 as "Inter-allied Memorial day," was one of the first acts of the international council binding together the war veterans' associations of the allied nations, which was organized Monday by delegations representing the allied countries.

The officers elected by the council were, president, Charles Bertrand of France; vice presidents, Cabot Ward, United States, and Colonel Crossfield, Great Britain; treasurer, Signor Battini, Italy.

TRY TO STEAL SAFE
CHIPPENVALE, Wis.—Thieves here have abandoned the accepted method of blowing safes and instead are carrying them away to blow at their leisure. Early Tuesday two

men burglarized a local concern and were about to place a safe in a waiting automobile when frightened away by night workers returning home. Police have thrown out a dragnet for the capture of men answering their description.

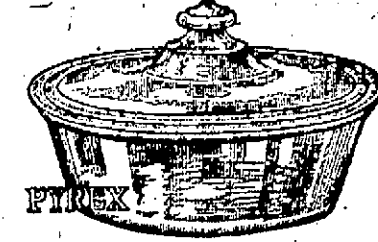
IDENTIFY SUPERIOR BANDITS AT OMAHA
OMAHA, Neb.—Identification of three prisoners at police headquarters as the men who held up the State bank at Superior, Wis., Nov. 16, was made here Monday by H. E. Erickson.

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WISCONSIN'S PROBLEM

If we are a prudent people we will not shirk recognition of the most vital political fact of the times. It is that we are tending to make government in fact, as it has been in theory, the direct business of the people. We are making government responsible and responsive to the electorate by popular checks upon elected officials and their proceedings which render these officials more accurately agencies for the expression of public determination. The primary and the recall place the personnel of government in the hollow of the people's hand. The initiative and referendum bring measures, as well, home for the individual consideration of the citizen. Competing platforms are submitted for popular decision. Plainly the entire movement is toward a condition in which government will be constructed of the materials of popular purpose and opinion, and thus its quality will follow the level of our mass fitness to determine the lines of government from its broadest conceptions down to details hitherto left largely to delegated authority.

In times when delegated authority felt only faintly the restraints and admonitions of popular opinion it may have been sufficient for the state to equate to the point of efficiency enough individuals to form a group from which the mass could select those to whom they chose to delegate such matters of legislation, administration and policy as made up the business of government. But having arrived at a new stage in which the mass itself adopts policies, dictates legislation and supervises administration, and dares its representatives to alter or gainsay, it is plainly incumbent upon the state to fit the mass for the practical performance of these functions which in the aggregate constitute government.

It will not be seriously contended that education has arrived at such general levels and diffusion as to have fully qualified the mass for the undertaking, and yet we have seen them undertake the task, and we have seen candidates for office accept the detailed mandate of some groups of them without even so much reservation as the dolting of an "I".

For example, take the platform of the Non-partisan league. It was prepared by practically self-constituted leaders, and was confirmed by hand-picked representatives of the league. It was placed before league members in the league's official paper, presumably that they might pass upon its merits and, arrived at a decision, be guided by that decision at the polls. In this platform were involved political and economic problems of the gravest import, to pass judgment upon which required scholarly analysis of which the average run of members were incapable. Yet they adopted it and imposed its effectuation upon many public officials as a political obligation accepted at the polls. We do not discuss the merits of this platform. It may be wise and able, or the reverse. We are concerned here only with the fact that its enactment as legislation affecting intimately the lives of everybody in the commonwealth was dictated by citizens who subject only to the necessity of a majority, were empowered by law to do so, but were not fully prepared by education for the responsibility involved.

From now on, the people will be saying more and more definitely what they will have in the way of government, and unless education catches up with the extension of popular control of government we shall be in for many startling and costly experiences.

Of course the true justification of education is not merely government, which is only an instrumentality, but is the development of a people whose natural powers are cultivated to the point of competence in all matters affecting the welfare of society. But it will be observed that in the quality and character of government be controlled by those who, for lack of education, are unqualified for the task, the cycle will be completed when education has descended to the level of the inferior government from which it

emanates. Thus the upward trend resulting from the selective process of the past will tend to give way to a downward trend in consequence of direct response to the impulses of the untrained mass. Intuition seems an inadequate safeguard in such a situation. It is right and ordained that the majority shall rule, and hence imperative that they be fitted for the task.

These ideas are put forth as in some sense illustrative of the vast importance which the question of education is rapidly assuming, but at best they give inadequate expression to the needs of a time so critical that the leaves of healing must sprout from spiritual as well as intellectual soil.

This problem urges itself upon the attention of Wisconsin. The country has been advised in a widely advertised report emanating from authority generally recognized as eminent that this state stands thirty-third in the list of states as to the efficiency with which it is handling its educational matters. Allowing ample discount for inaccuracies of statement and conclusion which the report may contain, the stern fact remains that we are well down the list of averages based upon a conception of education which in itself falls short of requirements of which the chaos overflowing from Russia too menacingly reminds us.

Consciousness of what the world conditions portend, and of educational responsibility involved, seems to center about the secretary of the state board of education. In an office, in which one less prescient might easily have become lost in the rounds of administrative routine, Major Fitzpatrick has distinguished himself by the ability and foresight which he has brought to bear upon a situation calling for vision, initiative and scholarship. While the tendency of the times has been to balance the excuse against the error, he has preferred to place the remedy in the scales. With tireless application he has gathered the materials of past experience and measured them against the imperative needs of present and future, and out of them has devised a program which he has subjected to the critical test of analysis by conspicuous leaders of education.

Sooner or later Wisconsin will pass upon this program. What its conclusions will be one can not say. Much depends upon the extent to which the people are awake to the hazards of the critical times through which we are passing. If as a people we are alert, conscious of our resources and prepared to pay the price of intelligent determination of our own political and social status, our ears will be open to this voice crying in the wilderness.

THREE TIMES AND OUT

THREE times and out. John Smecster, of Amberg, Wis., has passed out as the result of the third hunting accident he was in. Once he shot himself, twice he was shot by comrades who "didn't know it was loaded". Smecster was lucky or unlucky, as you look at it. He was lucky for a man careless in his handling of a gun and in his choice of hunting companions. Most careless men in the hunting field never get a second chance—or their companions don't.

At Irish football games they have biers instead of cheers.

In Ye Olden Times

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY
R. L. Richards, known as the "Millionaire Farmer" who resided on a beautiful farm near Onalaska, died yesterday at Sydney, Australia, according to word sent to relatives here.

An organized bear hunt is on in Ebner's Coulee, town of Greenfield. Yesterday a monstrous black bear and a cub strolled down the coulee in full view of the farmers. A rush was made for guns but the bear escaped. John Stry, F. Bey and Frank Miller are leading the hunt.

Due to a big leak in the twenty-inch water main on West Avenue and Cass streets, the entire city was without water for one hour this afternoon.

Prof. J. B. Roche, Grand Rapids, Michigan, one of the best posted physical culture experts in the country, is in the city today making arrangements to open a gymnasium and school of physical culture.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY
Rev. Rowley has come here from Tomah to take the place of Rev. J. J. Wilkins during the latter's absence in California.

The Reed Furniture works has moved to a new location at Fifteenth and Denton streets.

The final report to the common council on the brick paving works show that the paving cost the city \$102,069.

Ben Reed of La Crosse shot a wolf on the bluffs near Trempealeau yesterday. Farmers in the vicinity report that they must watch their sheep to keep the wolves from killing them, and contemplate organizing a hunting party.

Dr. Frank Weston has received from Dr. Hensler of Chicago a fine young English bloodhound. It is from the Rockwood dog kennel of Lexington, Kentucky.

THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY
Rev. Bishop Flasch, Rev. Father Schwebach and Rev. Father Murphy returned Thursday from Chippewa Falls where they attended the funeral of Father Goldsmith, on Thanksgiving Day.

A motion was made today to throw out the votes cast in the second precinct of the Third ward because the clerk used a rubber stamp instead of signing his name. This is contrary to election laws.

Willis Williams, for a long time a type on the La Crosse Daily Press, has accepted a position in the Minnesota state printing office at Minneapolis.

The fire alarm pole on Ninth and Mississippi streets which was knocked down by a runaway team Saturday, was replaced today.



There's a law again farmers give away older—As M they would. One of the leading events of the street fair next week will be a race between Uncle Niles Turner, 100, and an electric.

SIXTY DOLLARS A MONTH AND BOARD

BY LOUIS RAYBOLD

"My sister's a crank on the subject," declared Kenneth Horton from the davenport piled with fraternity sofa pillows. "She's terribly advanced—thinks no man worth his salt unless he earns his living by the sweat of his brow. Take me," he illustrated ruefully. "I want to go muskungee fishing in the Muskoka this summer, but Kit says 'No—my place is helping father on the farm. He's short of help—so that's where you can address me, care of the R. F. D.'"

"Maybe she's right, at that," grinned Jack, his roommate, whereupon he became the target for a rapid fire of epithets. "But, joking aside, Ken, I'll give you a hand. I'll come over here, I'll like to meet the original." "You? What chance would you stand, you plucked bonholder, you dyed-in-the-wool old plutocrat? Why, she'd give one look at your Cordovan shoes, your shirt and exclusive necktie, and she'd spit out her tongue at the sight of the wealthy. I was home all last summer, and I know."

"You don't know my scheme, old thing," retorted Jack earnestly. "I don't intend to let her see me in this offensive outfit. You say your father is short of help. Well, I'll come over here, I'll like to meet the original. I'll give you a hand. I'll come over here, I'll like to meet the original."

As the days went by, Jack alternately cursed and blessed his job. Viewed as it was from the outside, it was a costly one in time and energy, but considered in the light of the opportunity to be near the most beautiful girl he had ever seen and to show her the stuff that was in him, it wasn't so bad. Mr. Horton did not hesitate to commend his reliability, willingness and efficiency, and Jack secretly cherished the hope that some report of it all reached Katherine through her brother.

Just one worry had Jack. He wished Katherine would never ride Sultan. The horse was a devil and Jack had had enough of him. He had seen him when he would cut up rough some day. Sultan's brother, the Shah, was being broken in by Mr. Horton, and Jack, watching the spirited creature rear and buck beneath his rider, shuddered at the power possessed, and, luckily, so seldom appreciated, by that animal, the horse. But Jack was content to see the Sultan standing quietly, and Katherine bending over her rescuer, who was lying with his eyes closed.

"Play polo," answered Jack absent-mindedly, and lost consciousness. Mr. Horton, to whom polo-playing farm hands were a new experience, sent Katherine to the house to get the doctor for Jack and to get Kenneth to come after the horses.

Late that afternoon, Jack propped up on the chaise longue in the cool guest chamber of the farmhouse, was berating himself with choice invectives. The door opened softly and in stepped Katherine bearing a tray. "Mother sent up your supper," she explained. There was one thing Jack wanted more than his supper—he wanted to know if Katherine knew. Perhaps she read his wish in his face. At any rate she smiled a little and sat down by the window.

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DOG STORIES

Shep's Life
I was born on a farm near Pilger, Neb. My name is Shep.

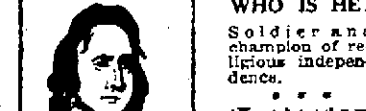
When I was 3 months old I was taken away from my mother and given to another farmer near Norfolk, Neb. I regretted the loss of my mother, but I had a good home.

I liked to chase jackrabbits, but they were too fast for me to catch.

After living in this happy place two years my master moved. In moving we had to cross a railroad track. I was a distance behind the wagon. My master crossed, but as I was about to cross a train rushed in front of me. I lost sight of my master and for a week I wandered around, living on what I could find to eat.

At last, discouraged, I walked up to a farm house, and to my surprise, it was my master's. I was given a good meal and had a long sleep. Last summer I was taught to bring in the cows. I bring them in every morning and night to be milked.—MARION GIN-GERICH.

The largest high school in the United States is the Polytechnic High School, Los Angeles, Calif., with an enrollment of 3,440.



WHO IS HE?
Soldier and champion of religious independence.

(Yesterday: Newton D. Baker, Secretary of War.)

Little Girl Has Big Voice
"Her curls are almost as long as she is, and her voice seems a great deal larger," says the Pittsburgh Press, in telling about June Ingram, 8-year-old soloist who sings every Sunday night to large gatherings of men and women in the mission hall of the Volunteers of America, East Ohio street, Pittsburgh.

She came to Pittsburgh from Atlanta, where her daddy was a police officer and her mother was actively interested in welfare work. Both parents are accomplished musicians.

Examination Officer: "Look what the wind blew in."
Drafted Soldier: "It wasn't the wind, it was the draft."



BOYS' PRINTING COMPANY PROPOSED IN CLEVELAND
Boys of Kenard Junior High School, Cleveland, and Mr. Paul M. Minghini, instructor of printing in the same school, are considering the formation of a Boys' Printing Co.

It is proposed that this company carry on a regular business and that the workers will receive a monthly salary check which can be cashed in Kenard Bank.

OLD MAN PUZZLE
Form a proverb from which we learn that it is not always well to look too closely at an object. Use all the letters in the following words:

Sentiment
Clash
Discontent
Hand

(Answer to yesterday's: Seat.)

OLD LADY RIDDLE
With what song would you advertise a cure for death?

(Answer to yesterday's: A carriage wheel grows less tired the more it is worked.)

"Daddy, do you love me very much?"
Daddy (a widower): "Why, sonny boy, of course I do."
"Then please marry the lady that sells the tickets for the Star Movies."

"Yes, Ma'am"
Teacher: "What liquid will not freeze?"
Pupil: "Hot water."

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Jiffy-Jell is rich in fruit. Each dessert contains the essence from much ripe fruit. Yet it costs but 15 cents—often less than the fruit alone. And a package serves six in mold form, or 12 if you whip the jell.

Simply add boiling water, as directed on package, then the flavor from the vial, and let cool. The sugar is in the mixture, also real fruit acid. For tart green salad jell use lime-fruit flavor. To serve with meats use mint.

Once serve Jiffy-Jell and you will never return to the old-type jells. Millions of homes now enjoy it.

10 Flavors in Glass Vials
Mint Lime Cherry Raspberry
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Orange Lemon Coffee
A bottle in each package

Jiffy-Pie
Also Lemon Pie
Jiffy-Pie comes in like form. And it makes real lemon pie of the most delicious sort.

All ingredients are in it—sugar, egg yolk, powdered milk, corn starch and tapioca. The lemon essence—derived from lemon peel—comes in a bottle.

Simply add water, as directed on package, cook a little and fill your pie. No cook, with all her time and trouble, can make a better lemon pie.

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CHEMICAL WARFARE DEPARTMENT IN GOOD SHAPE REPORTS CHIEF

Developed to Point Where no Nation Can Go Further Declares Fries

U. S. LEADS THE NATIONS IN CHEMICAL MANUFACTURE

Experimenting With New Gas and Chemicals

WASHINGTON. — Declaring that the world war demonstrated that an "enemy bent on aggression cannot be trusted to live up to any set rules of war," General Amos A. Fries, chief of the chemical warfare department of the army, in his annual report Monday, asserts that the development of this branch of the United States army to a point "where it is impossible for any nation to go further" will do much toward deterring other nations from forcing hostilities against the United States.

This country is in a position to manufacture and deliver on the field of battle more chemicals than any other nation or group of nations, says General Fries, adding that "The United States has wisely decided to continue the chemical warfare service with sufficient powers and funds to develop its possibilities."

During the past year the service has conducted experiments of great value in the production of new gas and chemical instruments of war, the report says, and has effected a close liaison with chemists and chemical societies in civil life.

All formal war contracts of the service have been settled and informal contracts are more than 98 per cent liquidated, the report asserts. Of the formal contracts, 1,214 have been settled for slightly more than \$287,000, a saving to the government of more than \$6,000,000. The savings and sales section of the service disposed of plants and materials representing an expenditure of nearly \$7,500,000, the report said, the sales averaging 27 per cent of the cost price.

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THAT SORE THROAT NEEDS BEGY'S MUSTARINE

When your throat is sore, it's a sure sign you need Begy's Mustarine. That is, if you want to get rid of it in the quickest possible time.

It's really marvelous how this real yellow mustard improvement on the old fashioned mustard plaster will end sore throat, tonsillitis, chest colds, pleurisy and bronchitis.

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BADGER WAR HERO ASKS DIVORCE FROM RUSSIAN PRINCESS

MILWAUKEE.—Captain Wallace Schutz, hero and prominent engineer and clubman of Milwaukee and Green Bay, who a few months ago married a Russian princess, Natalia Troubetzky, said to be the most beautiful girl in Europe, has filed a complaint for divorce at Green Bay, it became known Monday.

The action for divorce is based on the accusation that the princess has a former husband, Victor A. Thun, at one time an officer in the imperial Russian Guard, credited with being dead, but who is now discovered to be alive and residing in New York state.

The plaintiff recites in his complaint that no divorce decree has ever been awarded the princess for her former marriage.

Capt. Schutz requests the court to render judgment in his favor and to refuse all claims of his wife to share in his personal estate.

METHODIST BISHOPS WON'T REVIVE THE JERSEY BLUE LAWS

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—Bishop Joseph Berry Monday declared that the house of bishops of the Methodist church in session here would not deal with the program outlined by the Lord's day alliance for a strict enforcement of Sunday "Blue Laws."

Hard to "Say It With Flowers"

Uncle Sam has made it very hard to "Say It With Flowers" by putting a ban on all plants from foreign countries which have soil clinging to the roots. As the soil is more or less essential to most plants the result is that this restriction bars out a great many wanted plants.

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WORLD WAR VETERANS HERE RECRUITING FOR THE REGULAR ARMY

Captain T. A. Harris, with Sergeants Fred Spradlin, Barney DeZure, M. K. Ballowe and Wm. Miles, all from the 50th Infantry 4th Division Regular Army, arrived in La Crosse, today for a ten day period to recruit for all branches of the army.

Capt. Harris, and all his men are veterans of the late war and served with the 50th Infantry 4th Division known as the Ivy Division, four Ivy leaves being their insignia.

Captain Harris states that men are enlisting at the rate of about 1,000 per day and most of them are going in for the purpose of obtaining or completing an education. Our 135,000 men are now enrolled in the army schools; 128 trades and vocations are open and complete educational courses under competent instructors are available to enlisted men.

Captain Harris invites your inquiries at the recruiting station here and would be glad to talk to fathers and mothers of the advantage of the army to their sons.

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DISMISS COMPLAINT OF SUPERIOR AGAINST DULUTH CAR COMPANY

MADISON, Wis.—A complaint of the city of Superior against the Duluth Street Railway company asking for im-

provements was dismissed by the railroad commission Tuesday. Except for two parts which referred to the Twenty-first street extension and additional trackage on the South Superior line, the commission says that when labor

and economic conditions have become somewhat settled the case might come up again for consideration. An electric rate increase of 50 per cent was granted the city of Oconomowoc.

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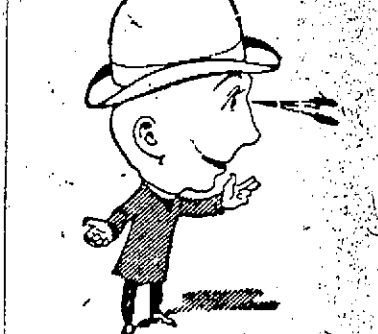
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IN SOCIETY

COL. AND MRS. FOWLER ENTERTAIN AT FIRST OF PARTY SERIES

Colonel and Mrs. Frank H. Fowler entertained at a handsome dinner-bridge Monday evening at their home, 128 South Thirtieth street. Covers were laid for twenty-four at handsomely appointed tables. The first favors were taken by Mrs. C. W. Noble and Mr. W. D. Weedy, and the second by Mrs. J. L. Callahan and Mrs. Burt Smith. This is the first of a series of functions Mr. and Mrs. Fowler are giving, invitations having been issued by them for the second affair for Friday.

MISS ALICE MOURAD and Miss Mary Rasmussen have returned from Minneapolis after spending the Thanksgiving holidays with relatives and friends.

K. JOSEPH PETTRICK, 1014 Denton street, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Robert Small, at Virgo.

UPON the twentieth anniversary of their wedding Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. William F. Hurlbert, 120 South Thirtieth street, were most delightfully surprised by a party of twenty friends. The guests served a delicious hot supper. Mr. and Mrs. Hurlbert were presented with a gorgeous bouquet in token of the occasion. The evening was merrily spent and the honor guests were showered with happy felicitations and wishes for many returns of the day.

On Monday afternoon Mrs. Hurlbert was hostess to a party of friends at an informal coffee in honor of the passing anniversary.

MRS. ALVIN MOORE was pleasantly surprised Monday afternoon at her home, 607 North Tenth street, the occasion being her fourth wedding day. The hostess was presented with a lovely bouquet.

The guests were Mesdames Charles Frederickson, Burroughs, J. G. Moen, J. Skapple, G. Hanson, E. C. Johnson, A. Olson, L. Lambert and Miss Ruth Han.

ALL MEETINGS of the Ladies' Circle of St. Paul's Universalist church have been postponed until further notice.

THE MOTHERS' Circle of the First Presbyterian church will hold one of its quarterly birthday meetings Wednesday afternoon at the church parlors. Those having passed anniversaries in September, October and November will be the guests of honor. An interesting program has been prepared, and will be given at a quarter of four. The ladies are asked to come early and be prepared to be a comfort. The hostesses will be Mesdames John Schriver, J. H. Johnson, J. L. Ward, C. W. Smith and A. C. Millington.

THE MEETING of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Sons of Veterans, which was to have been held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. H. Fleming, 1821 Mississippi street, is indefinitely postponed.

THE LA CROSSE WOMAN'S club met Wednesday afternoon at half past two at the home of Mrs. C. J. Snyder, 220 North Ninth street. Mr. H. C. Conners of the university extension will speak.

THE MEMBERS of the Tuesday Pleasure club will enjoy a supper at the home of Mrs. A. E. Soderberg, North Eighth street.

AT THE MEETING of the Mothers' day Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. C. Evans, 909 Vine street, the ladies will sew for the triplets recently born at a local hospital.

THE THURSDAY Pioneer Bridge club will meet Thursday, December 2nd, at the card rooms of the hall and will be entertained by Mrs. Vincent Trucho and Mrs. Morris E. Tubaur.

THE LADIES' Industrial society of the First Baptist church will be entertained Thursday afternoon by Mrs. J. C. Card and Mrs. Otto Schroeder at the home of the former, 1105 State street. At this meeting one of the semi-annual birthday celebrations will be held, those having passed anniversaries the past six months being the honor guests. The guests of honor are expected to contribute their birthday offering at this time.

THE LADIES' Aid society of the Immanuel Lutheran church will meet Friday, December third, and will be entertained by Mesdames C. C. Mosher, W. C. Bick, C. H. Pierce and T. C.

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COMING EVENTS

(These dates are taken.) Before deciding upon dates confer with Chamber of Commerce. Phone 24, and avoid conflict.

Dec. 1—Christmas Sales—Afternoon and Evening—Ladies German Reformed Church—4th and Market streets.

Dec. 1—Regular meeting of Teachers' Club—Y. M. C. A.—8:00 p. m.

Dec. 2—8:30 p. m.—La Crosse Woman's Club—Mrs. C. J. Snyder, 220 North Ninth St.

Dec. 2—6:30—General Members' Dinner—Chamber of Commerce.

Dec. 2—West Avenue Methodist church—Bazaar and chicken pie supper.

Dec. 2—Supper and Bazaar in church parlors—Ladies' Aid society, North Presbyterian church.

Dec. 2—Women's Union—Congregational church—Beginning 10:00 a. m. Add Day Sewing—Luncheon at noon.

Dec. 2—D. O. K. K. ceremonial.

Dec. 3—Campbell Library club meets at eleven o'clock with Mrs. Weeden at 1105 State.

Dec. 3—4:30—Masonic Temple—La Crosse County Community Council Noon Luncheon—Mr. Cary, State Superintendent of Schools, Speaker.

Dec. 4—Bazaar and Supper—First Presbyterian Church—Afternoon and evening.

Dec. 4—6:00 p. m.—Dinner given by Men's Club—Congregational Church in club rooms.

Dec. 5—Agricultural, Horticultural and Dairyman's Association—Campbell Town Hall—Luncheon at noon.

Dec. 5—Five Dollar Day—Assiopes Mercantile Bureau—Chamber of Commerce.

Dec. 10—Meeting to form local branch of State Horticultural Society—Afternoon and evening—Chamber of Commerce Assembly Room.

Dec. 13—Normal Lecture Course, Trio—Lecturers: Richard Czerwonky, Bruno Steindel, M. Boguslawsky.

Dec. 14—6:30—Caledonia Street Methodist church—Queen Esther Circle—Bazaar and Luncheon.

Jan. 21—Music Study Club, Allen C. Quinn, Tenor, La Crosse Theater.

Jan. 25-27-28-29—State Corn and Grain

Feb. 16—Normal Lecture Course—Mr. Frederick Landis.

Krebs. A cordial invitation is extended.

THE EPWORTH League meeting of the First Methodist church had an attendance of forty Sunday evening. Miss Ruth Creek was the leader and the topic was "Christian America," which was interpreted as a menace and a challenge.

THE REBEKKAS will meet Wednesday night at the Odd Fellows' hall at a quarter of eight sharp. All members having donations for the bazaar are asked to bring them.

City Briefs

Yeomen Hall, dance tonight. Jimmie James Novelty 8 Sat. Sun.

Fresh Halibut La Crosse Fish Co. Call 250.

Do you want to pay in \$4 a month and draw out \$50 a year? Try Fourth Building Association.

Remember the Christmas Sale held by the Ladies of the Reformed church, 4th and Market, Wednesday afternoon and evening.

Select your Christmas "Victrola" now at Noelke's, 531 Main.

Roslyn Barrett, 1015 State street, returned from Madison.

Fresh Shrimp La Crosse Fish Co. Call 250.

For accessories go to Senton's Auto Supply Shop, 100 No. 3rd St.

"Brunswick Phonographs" and records at Noelke's, 531 Main.

Mrs. Lenora Vallancourt returned to St. Paul Monday after visiting

her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Vaughan, 1703 Liberty street, over Thanksgiving week-end.

Dance at Shelly hall at Wm. F. Gaulten, Sat.

Paramount Kodak finishing at The Paramount Photo Shop, 225 Main.

Place your order with us for your storm windows and storm doors. Prompt service. Bies Millwork and Lumber Co. Cor. Caledonia and Gulet St. Phone 1354-C.

Mrs. A. Haugen has returned to Fr. Arkinson, after attending the funeral of her grandson, Clayton Tietz.

Thill-Manning-Whalen, Co. Got prices on plumbing and heating of us before closing deal.

Just received, fresh car of plaster and car of cement. First come, first served. La Crosse Lumber and Supply Co.

List your real estate for sale, with the Anderson Realty Co., 613 Main St. Phone 129.

Joe Rabbit spend the week-end in Virgo.

Exclusive Art Shop of Miss Edna Simonson, 1215 King. Christmas opening Dec. 1 to Dec. 4. Full line of art needlework, yarns and hand-painted china.

Fresh Shrimp, La Crosse Fish Co. Call 250.

Electric Wiring, Fixtures and Appliances, Thill-Manning-Whalen Co. 512 State street. Phone 214.

Join the day or evening classes at the Beebe business College. Students are enrolling daily.

Belle White returned from New Lisbon.

Armory Hall, Dance Sat. and Sun. Wethe's Orchestra.

Christmas Greetings and Gifts at The Island Shop.

Dr. Thornton, Osteopath, Linker Bldg. by appointment only.

Just received car of Bestwall plaster board. Just the thing to line your garage, attic etc. La Crosse Lumber and Supply Co.

Mrs. C. Lyon, 1432 Liberty street, is ill at the Lutheran hospital.

F. P. Cook, public accountant, has opened an office at 312 Pearl St. upstairs. Income Tax a specialty. Phone 23.

Public card party for ladies and gentlemen, Wednesday evening, Dec. 1, at 8 o'clock Eagle's hall.

Order especially engraved Christmas Greetings now, Island Shop.

Mary McCarville, former nurse in the state clinic, leaves Tuesday for

Oshkosh where she has accepted the position as county nurse.

The Rebekka Lodge will hold its annual bazaar and supper Thursday, Dec. 2, at Odd Fellows Hall. Supper served from 5 to 7.

Pies, homemade, 40c. Try our fried cakes. Phone your choice to Allens, S29-m. Del. daily, a. m. and p. m.

Cars Overhauled, first class work guaranteed. Solberg Tire Co., 539 Main.

Ethel Casperson, 1419 Loomis street, spent Sunday in Bangor.

Fresh Eggs at Smiles.

Public card party for ladies and gentlemen, Wednesday evening, Dec. 1, at 8 o'clock Eagle's hall.

Mrs. A. E. Anderberg, 1521 State street, is visiting in Marshfield.

Public Notice—Starting Dec. 1, milk stations at 1703 W. Ave. St., Star Groc., 13th and Market, and 111 N. Miller, 16th and Market. Milk 10c quart. Open 7 to 10 a. m. and 2 to 5 p. m. We have 500 gal. fresh milk. Bring correct change. Breitman & Martean.

Mrs. Lillian Bills, 1507 Loomis street, is ill at the Lutheran hospital.

Doctors Houck and Crowell, Suites 201-202, Rivoli Bldg.

Myron Anderson has returned from a trip to Madison.

See our complete line of electric fixtures in large display rooms, 2nd floor. The Linker Electric Co. 114 No. 5th St.

Dorothy Casperson, 1319 Loomis street, has recovered from her illness.

A real Christmas gift, the Hoover Suction Cleaner. Linker Electric Co. 114 No. 5th St.

Mrs. C. L. Alteman, 1027 Avon street, has returned from a trip to Minneapolis.

La Fortuna Cigars: "They Satisfy." Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox of Bangor have returned after a visit here.

Underwood typewriters, Phone 146.

Miss Rose Strombeck, 1602 Market street, has returned from a few days' visit in Tomah.

Osteopathy—Dr. Jorris, Newburg Bg. Katherine Zaiser, 1641 Wood street, is visiting relatives in Minneapolis.

The genuine Edison Mazda lamps are sold by The Linker Electric Co. 114 No. 5th St.

K. E. Spencer of Chicago, who has been visiting his mother, Mrs. H. B. Spencer, 528 Cass street, has returned to his home. Mrs. Spencer, who

has been seriously ill for three weeks, is slowly recovering.

E. F. U. Meeting and election of officers, Wednesday Dec. 1st, K. P. hall.

William Gasterline of West Salem spent yesterday here with relatives.

When in Need of Plumbing, call W. F. Schram. Phone 46.

Mrs. Sarah Cover of Wilton has returned after a few days' visit here.

La Fortuna, "The Wonder Smoke." George Shain of West Salem transferred business here yesterday.

Ask for Snowflake Flour everyday. Elmer Smith has returned to Kenosha after visiting relatives and friends here.

Grace Howard will open her vocal studio in the Rivoli Building soon. All those interested, address, 306 State Bank Building, before Sat. Dec. 4.

Mrs. C. Jones, 508 North Tenth street, has returned from a trip to St. Paul.

Arrange with the Gateway City Transfer Co. for baggage, freight and heavy hauling. No evening service.

Mr. E. B. Gibbs has returned to Wapikon, Iowa, after transacting business here.

Dentist—Dr. Hutson, St. Bk. Bldg. Fred Wommer of Milwaukee is visiting here.

Fresh Halibut, La Crosse Fish Co. Call 250.

Mrs. J. Schumaker, 1615 Avon street, has recovered from her illness.

Mrs. J. Chalmers, 1710 Liberty street, is ill at her home.

Zona Miles and Evelyn Stenz, 1301 State street, returned from West Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ott, 1367 Charles street, have returned from a visit with friends in Chicago.

E. G. Moore, traveling auditor for

the Milwaukee railway, was in the city on business Tuesday.

Junior Rooney has returned to Madison, where he is taking a medical

course to the University of Wisconsin, after spending the Thanksgiving recess with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Rooney.

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Have you made up your List?

Begin today jotting down the names of friends whom you would like to remember at Christmas.

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LA CROSSE—WIS.
Phone 2580.

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—said Judge Fred W. Freeman recently. Continuing, he added "The oil business today in all its phases from production to refining, to marketing, is the most competitive business in the world."

The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is but one of 16,000 organizations interested in the petroleum industry in the United States. Each of these is performing a useful service or it would not be in business. Competition eliminates the unfit in the oil business, as it eliminates the unfit in every other line of endeavor.

The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is here today because it has made good.

The energy of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is concentrated on making good in a big, constructive way.

The territory served is probably the most important farming territory in the world. The Company's opportunity for service is great, and the need for its service is ever present.

Every year the farmers of the Middle West need petroleum products in greater volume. They demand products of standard quality, delivered at regular intervals and at reasonable prices. Only through a complete organization of men, trained by years of experience, can so complicated and important a service be rendered.

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The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is directed by a group of seven business men, trained in every phase of the oil industry, and is operated by 23,000 loyal men and women, who are devoting their lives to the business.

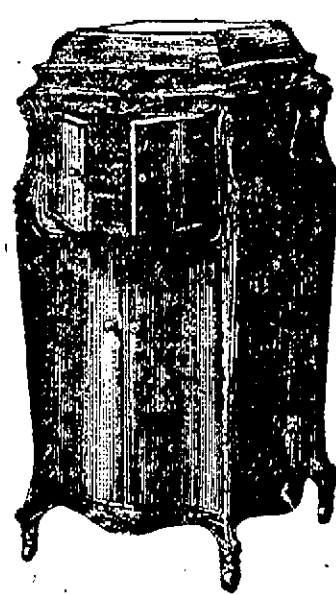
Its owners, the stockholders, are 5526 in number, no one of whom owns as much as 10 per cent of the total stock.

Any one may become a part owner in this Company, by buying its stock in the open market.

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Victrola Dealers of La Crosse



UTILITIES GRANTED RIGHT TO STRING UP WIRES OVER BRIDGE

Council Gives Two Companies
Privilege for Fifty Dollars Per Year

AFTER an argument lasting nearly two hours, the common council Monday night passed a resolution granting the Wisconsin-Minnesota Light and Power company and the La Crosse Telephone company permission to maintain wires across the top of the main bridge, for a consideration of \$50 per year from each utility.

Alderman Mahoney opposed the measure on the ground that the compensation for this privilege was not adequate considering the valuable rights involved.

Mayor Bentley took the floor to urge the passage of the resolution to "our neighbors" across the river. He said this privilege should be extended in the same spirit that the council made the bridge free to promote friendly relations with the residents of the sister city.

The mayor stated that any restrictive sum demanded by the city for the wire right on the bridge would be reflected in increased electric rates for the Houston county residents.

Alderman Harry Newburg supported the resolution. The board of public works is given authority in the measure to ascertain what a fair price would be for this privilege based upon costs of providing some other means of crossing the river, and the amount asked may be increased by the council later, it was explained.

The resolution passed with two dissenting votes, Rice and Mahoney.

On motion of Alderman Roelke Mayor Bentley was authorized to appoint a special committee to confer with a special county board committee on the proposition of building a second causeway across the marsh.

The mayor appointed Alderman Roelke, Verebora and Smith to the committee.

JAPS TO DROP DEMANDS FOR RACE EQUALITY

(Continued from page one)

shall report to the assembly the measures it would put into effect against an aggressor nation.

Ask Amendment Commission

The report of the committee on amendments to the covenant was expected to contain a recommendation that a commission be appointed to which all amendments proposed to the next assembly, which it now is considered will certainly be held during the summer of early 1932, be referred for consideration. Such a committee would have sufficient latitude to consider any propositions emanating from the United States. Some of the delegates have considered the advisability of giving the committee the express authority to enter into negotiations with Washington at a favorable moment.

Delegates De Loon of Spain and Azuero of Cuba have agreed to withdraw from the time being their proposition to include in the covenant a recommendation that a commission be appointed to which all amendments proposed to the next assembly, which it now is considered will certainly be held during the summer of early 1932, be referred for consideration. Such a committee would have sufficient latitude to consider any propositions emanating from the United States. Some of the delegates have considered the advisability of giving the committee the express authority to enter into negotiations with Washington at a favorable moment.

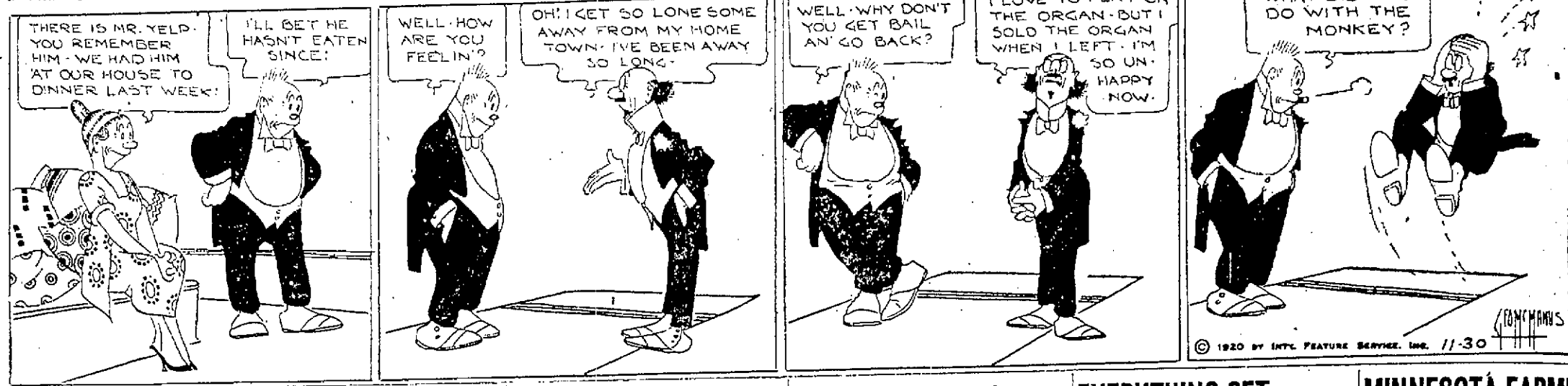
HUNTER KILLS TWO DEER

SWANSEY, N. H.—The killing of two deer with a single bullet is reported by Marshall Hill, Hill fired at a large buck which bolted. When he reached where the buck had stood he found he had killed a doe. Following the trail he came upon the body of the buck.

STOCK MARKET CLOSE

Closing prices:	
Allis-Chalmers	20 1/2
American Boat Sugar	42 1/2
American Can	25 3/4
American Car and Foundry	12 1/2
American Hide and Leather	46 1/2
American International Corp.	40 1/2
American Locomotive	44 1/2
American Smelting and Refining	44 1/2
American Sugar	92 1/2
American T. and T.	72 1/2
American Woolen	58 1/2
Anacostia Copper	25 1/2
Atchafalpa	82 1/2
Atlantic Gulf and W. Indes	106 1/2
Baldwin Locomotive	44 1/2
Baltimore and Ohio	28 1/2
Bethlehem Steel "B"	54 1/2
Canadian Pacific	116 1/2
Central Leather	24 1/2
Chandler Motors	18 1/2
Chesapeake and Ohio	63 1/2
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	25 1/2
Chicago, R. I. and Pacific	18 1/2
Chino Copper	18 1/2
Colorado Fuel and Iron	20 1/2
Corn Products	21 1/2
Crawford Steel	24 1/2
Cuba Cane Sugar	84 1/2
Electric	114 1/2
General Electric	126 1/2
General Motors	12 1/2
Goodrich Co.	25 1/2
Great Northern	78 1/2
Great Northern Pac. Div.	20 1/2
Illinois Central	28 1/2
International Copper	88 1/2
Int. Mer. Marine	22 1/2
International Paper	47 1/2
Kennecott Copper	18 1/2
Louisville and Nashville	10 1/2
Maxwell Motors	19 1/2
Mexican Petroleum	158 1/2
Miami Copper	16 1/2
Middle States Oil	25 1/2
Midvale Steel	22 1/2
Missouri Pacific	21 1/2
New York Central	72 1/2
N. E. Ind. Alcohol	25 1/2
Play Consolidated Copper	11 1/2
Reading	82 1/2
Rip. Iron and Steel	65 1/2
Royal Dutch	42 1/2
Shell Trans. and Trud.	42 1/2
Standard Oil	23 1/2
Southern Pacific ex. div.	104 1/2
Southern Railway	24 1/2
Standard Oil of N. J.	104 1/2
Studebaker Corporation	42 1/2
Tennessee Copper	48 1/2
Texas Co.	15 1/2
Texas and Pacific	15 1/2
Tobacco Products	52 1/2
Transcontinental Oil	25 1/2
Union Pacific	21 1/2
U. S. Food Products	30 1/2
U. S. Retail Stores	58 1/2
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	25 1/2
United States Rubber	64 1/2
United States Steel	81 1/2
Utah Copper	24 1/2
Westinghouse	42 1/2
Willys Overland	24 1/2
Yule Oil Co.	24 1/2

BRINGING UP FATHER



RAILWAY CLERKS MAY MERGE WITH OTHER OF UNIONS

La Crosse local 130 of the Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers, Express and Station Employees, held their regular meeting Monday night. Among the matters of interest to the public brought out at the meeting was the report of the committee just returned from a conference held at Chicago for the furthering of plans for the affiliation of the clerks with the shop crafts, maintenance of way, telegraphers and other railway unions.

On account of the stand taken by the railway managers before the labor board demanding system agreements instead of national agreements, now in force, affiliation of the above mentioned railway crafts was held very desirable as a defensive measure. A committee was appointed to act in conjunction with similar committees of the other crafts.

Operating under the Cummins-Elch law, it is pointed out that as the labor board is supposed to adjust all grievances on all railroads in the United States national agreements are more efficient than a thousand or more system agreements, as urged by the railway managers.

The amendment committee reported that all arrangements had been made for the eighth annual ball to be given December 2, at Yeoman hall. With a large advance sale of tickets reported it is expected that a big attendance will tax the capacity of the hall. This is the first dance of organized labor in the new Labor Temple.

Orders for the evening year will be nominated at the next meeting.

EUGENE W. CHAFIN DIES FROM BURNS

LONG BEACH, Calif.—Eugene W. Chafin, 48, prohibition candidate for president in 1908 and 1912, died Tuesday at his home here from burns received on November 20, when his clothing caught fire while he was lighting a gas heater. The flames were extinguished by other occupants of the apartment house. Mrs. Chafin's wife and daughter, Mrs. Desdemona Herman of Long Beach, were with him at the end.

Mr. Chafin was born November 1, 1852, at East Troy, Wis. He studied law in the University of Wisconsin and was admitted to practice in Waukesha in 1875, continuing practice there and in Chicago for the greater part of his life. He was a temperance advocate and lecturer from his youth and was a candidate on several occasions for local and state offices in both Wisconsin and Illinois. Shortly after his presidential campaign in 1908 he moved to Arizona for his health and came to Long Beach four years ago. He was active in councils of local temperance organizations to the last.

MRS. JOHN E. NUZUM DIES SUDDENLY AT HER VIROQUA HOME

VIROQUA, Wis.—Mrs. John E. Nuzum, passed away at her home in this city on Friday evening after an illness of twelve hours. Mrs. Nuzum suffered a stroke of paralysis Friday morning. She had been in ill health for several years and last winter, in company with her husband and daughter Ethel, passed the winter in California, with the hopes of benefiting her health. Mrs. Nuzum was 47 years old, surviving her husband and two daughters, Mrs. Stella Clinton and Miss Ethel and three sons, Clinton, Ralph and Edward all of this city. The youngest son, Keith, died by drowning a few years ago while visiting in the west. In the passing of Mrs. Nuzum, the city loses one who was ever ready to serve in all things for the uplift and welfare of the community. The funeral service was held at the Methodist Episcopal church on Monday afternoon, while the body lay in state, between the hours of one and three.

SLOAN'S GOES RIGHT TO THE ACHING SPOT

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THOUSANDS of men and women, when the least little rheumatic "crick" assaults them, have Sloan's Liniment handy to knock it out. Popular over a third of a century ago—far more popular today.

That's because it is so wonderfully helpful in relieving external aches and pains—sciatica, lumbago, backache, neuralgia, overstrained muscles, stiff joints, weather exposure results. A little is all that is necessary, for it soon penetrates without rubbing, to the sore spot. No muss, no stained skin.

All druggists—35c, 70c, \$1.40.

Sloan's Liniment (Pain's enemy)

Pretty Setting For Delightful Music Recital

A VERY pretty stage helped to create the atmosphere for a successful recital last night. The artistic setting made possible by the generosity of the Organ and Doorkeeper firms and the hard labor of two members of the Music Study club was genuinely appreciated, particularly by those regular patrons of all events of this type who have been a bit bored this fall by the bare, staid and even untidy stages prepared for first rate entertainments.

Perhaps one was sensitive to the setting because the program itself was largely a series of pictures. It opened with the substantial and satisfactory Handel Sonata in D major and concluded with the wholly trivial Sarasate Duet Fantasia. The second number was a Chopin group played by Mrs. Thompson, who plainly finds this composer very congenial. The Nocturne in C sharp minor suggests to the imagination the spirit of the Italian renaissance brilliantly intellectual, richly beautiful and evily treacherous. Mrs. Thompson's playing of it gave one the same intellectual satisfaction he experiences through an essay of Montalozze. The always enjoyable black key Etude followed and then the beautiful Polish. This Polish with its romantic, opening harp-like without doubt, Mrs. Thompson's greatest success. No dramatic reader could have portrayed more truly the participants in this court dance, the gentlemanly, graceful warriors, the ladies graceful and flirtatious, silhouetted against the foreboding of war reiterated in the bass.

The Burleigh compositions gave the audience a series of pleasant little experiences. To Mr. Burleigh the experiences are so real that the audience drifts quite unconsciously into the spirit of the thing with him. The "Fairy Sailing" delighted everyone so that Mrs. Burleigh was required to repeat each of them. "Hills" was the jewel of them all, a picture more notable for line than for color it glided from one exquisite curve into another. The "Norwegian" which had been heard at the rehearsal was a breathless thrill, went off at a touch of the violin, seemingly bold and sweeping in a small room, failed to fill the theater. Mrs. Thompson in her Burleigh group did best the humor of "Cottontails" and the fluttering and twittering of "Snowbirds." Mr. Burleigh's art as a composer seems to lie in his combined ability to see things as a landscape painter does and to portray them with the concise brevity of a clever relater of anecdotes.

PHYSICIAN IS SHOT RESISTING ARREST

LITTLE ROCK, Ark.—Dr. D. R. Woodward, a physician, was shot and wounded fatally at his home here today by A. L. Reed, a deputy United States marshal, who was attempting to arrest Dr. Woodward on a warrant charging violation of the Harrison anti-narcotic law. Reed and an officer who accompanied him said Dr. Woodward attempted to draw a revolver. He died several hours later.



THERE is a double comfort to be found in properly adjusted eye glasses. They should fit so that the lenses will center properly over the pupils and should be built so that your nose will know comfort. I will advise you as to your eyeglass needs.

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SECOND PLANE WITH MAIL COMING HERE FROM CHICAGO FIELD

The first Chicago-La Crosse-Twin city air mail flight was begun this morning when Mail Aviator William Carroll, who was prevented by fog from starting Monday, hopped off in Chicago today at 8:50 a. m. He carried 400 pounds of mail.

At noon he had not arrived at Sator field, the official landing station in La Crosse.

Air mail service between the Twin cities and Chicago was inaugurated Monday when Pilot E. H. Lee flew from Minneapolis through a thick fog, landing about twenty miles from Checkerboard field, Chicago. A truck brought the mail from this landing place. The new mail service will be daily between Chicago, La Crosse and the Twin cities.

Obituary

WILLIAM J. ZOPPI

Word was received of the death of William J. Zoppi of West Collinswood, New Jersey.

Mr. Zoppi was born in Jeffersonville, Sullivan county, New York, in 1873, and came to reside on a farm in Mormon Coulee with his parents in 1897. Mr. Zoppi was married in 1892 to Mary Knake of Chicago.

He was employed at a number of local business houses and later became the junior member of the firm of Solberg and Zoppi, bankers.

In 1894 he went to Gordonsville, Virginia, where he resided a number of years and then moved to West Collinswood, New Jersey, where he lived until his death.

He is survived by his widow, three sisters and four brothers. Mrs. Walter Bell, Mrs. Frank Reichert, Mrs. Joseph Zenger and John Zoppi of La Crosse, Albert of Aberdeen, South Dakota, Peter of Gordonsville, Virginia, and Edwin of Seattle, Washington.

MRS. ELSA CARROL

Mrs. Elsa Carrol of Merrimac, Wisconsin, died in this city after a month's illness, Sunday evening, November 28th at 7 p. m. Mrs. Carrol was formerly Miss Elsa Miller, daughter of the late James G. Miller, for many years a leading attorney of this city, and of Emma Seitz-Miller. She was born in the city of La Crosse, October 18th, 1881, and graduated from the local schools and in Milwaukee in the Collegiate Department of the Milwaukee Downer College in 1914. In 1916 she was married to William A. Carrol and with him has resided at Merrimac, Wisconsin, ever since. She is survived by her husband and two children, Janet Gordon Carrol, age three years and Elizabeth Louise Carrol, age one year besides her sister Miss Freda Miller now of Philadelphia, Penn.

The funeral of Mrs. Carrol will be held at Barnhart, Wisconsin, Wednesday, December 1st at 2 p. m. Short services were held yesterday at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Charles P. Seitzler at Fifth and Cameron Avenue streets in this city.

FRANK MEYER

Frank Meyer, a resident of Caledonia, Minn., died at a local hospital Monday noon after an illness of several months.

The funeral will be held from the residence of David Drummond, 1111 South Seventh street, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. J. L. Panzani will officiate and interment will be made in Oak Grove cemetery.

SWEAR IN SPECIAL DEPUTIES TO KEEP ORDER AT RACINE

RACINE, Wis.—Governor Phillip has ordered Sheriff Grover Lutter to swear in deputies to assist the local police force in preserving order at the plant of the Hamilton-Beach Manufacturing company, as a result of a riot which occurred Monday evening when the employees were leaving the factory. A strike has been in progress at the plant for several months.

It is said a thousand strike sympathizers participated in the disturbance last night and that the dozen policemen stationed in the vicinity were unable to cope with the situation. Several rocks were thrown, one smashing the windows of a street car and another crashing into the automobile of F. J. Osmun, an officer of the company. Employees were roughly jostled and threats of violence are said to have been made. Much vile language was also used, it is reported. Company officials this morning communicated with the governor, protesting that there was not adequate police protection available.

PONZI IS GIVEN FIVE-YEAR TERM IN COUNTY JAIL

BOSTON, Mass.—Charles Ponzi, promoter of the quick-rich scheme in which thousands of persons invested millions of dollars before it collapsed last August, pleaded guilty to using the mails in a scheme to defraud in the federal district court Tuesday.

Sentence of five years in the Plymouth county jail was imposed by Judge Hale. The court took into consideration only the first count of one indictment of forty-four counts, in which it was charged that Ponzi had represented falsely that he was able to pay interest at the rate of fifty per cent in 45 days from profits made in international postal reply coupons.

MADISON—George W. Noyes, 76, veteran of the civil war, died Monday night after an illness of several months. Mr. Noyes, who was a member of the Lucius Fairchild Post G. A. R., is survived by two daughters.



EVERYTHING SET FOR SWIFT DRIVE TO RAISE MONEY

Wednesday will be the big day in the Salvation Army campaign to raise in this country 7,500 towards the establishment of a maternity home in this state. On that day every committee man will be in the field and every possible effort will be made to canvass the field assigned inside of one day.

J. J. Folmer, Mrs. John Bayer and Mrs. C. H. Rawlinson, who head special committees were out Tuesday morning and reported that they were meeting with good success.

The executive committee in charge of this campaign decided there would be no soliciting outside of the business district. This means that the business men alone will be given an opportunity to contribute and there will be no canvassing done in the residential districts. It is therefore necessary that fairly large amounts be secured to reach the quota. It is the desire of the executive committee to have the campaign over and the full quota secured by Wednesday night.

F. W. Stordant of Mindoro, reports that the American Legion there is working and expects to have its quota by Wednesday night. La Crosse county is practically the last county to have its campaign for the building of this State Maternity and Rescue Home. At a meeting of the executive committee last night confidence was expressed that La Crosse county will do as well as other counties in the state have done.

The executive committee announced today that the expense of conducting the campaign in La Crosse will be less than \$25.

ATTENTION

Ex-Soldiers, Sailors and Red Cross Nurses!

Snap out of it. Get busy on the national bonus proposition. A representative of the Stars and Stripes will be at the Hotel La Crosse all this week. Call between 6 and 8 p. m. and sign this petition.

SUPERIOR LAWYER DIES

SUPERIOR, Wis.—H. H. Grace, prominent Superior lawyer, and financier, died at the home of his son here Monday night, following an illness of more than six years. Mr. Grace was a pioneer resident of Superior coming to the head of the lakes in 1886 from Wausau, Wis., when Superior was a village. He was a thirty-third degree Mason.

MINNESOTA FARMER IS KILLED IN FALL FROM WAGON TODAY

Falling from his vehicle in a flat, a farmer by the name of Sims, Bush Valley, Minnesota, struck his head on a man-hole cover in King street between Third and Fourth this afternoon at two o'clock, resulting in almost instant death.

According to eye witnesses of the tragedy, Mr. Sims was driving his team from the alley immediately in the rear of the F. M. Branson plumbing shop and as he turned to drive up King street he fell from the seat apparently in a faint. Passers-by stopped the team and lifted the body of Mr. Sims from the street. His death was almost instantaneous.

Our pastor remarked in his searching way yesterday that he often fears some members of his flock, if they prayed exactly as they feel, would phrase it this way: 'Lead us not into temptation, unless the chance is exceptionally good and no one's around.'—Onio State Journal.



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 Women's Embroidered Linen Handker-
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UNIFORM CHARTER SYSTEM PROPOSED FOR BADGER CITIES

New Law Dealing With Subject Drafted for Presentation to New Legislature

MADISON, Wis.—A plan to get all of the cities of Wisconsin on a uniform charter basis will come before the coming session of the legislature. Many of the cities now have special charters and the idea is to get all on a basis of uniformity. The bill to accomplish this result has just been drafted by the revisor of the statutes.

Each biennial meeting of the legislature means some 650 to 750 new laws. In 1918 the houses passed 697 new laws, filling 1,293 pages of statutes and in 1919, 703 new laws taking up 1,308 pages.

Prior to 1900 it had been customary to revise the statutory law of the state at times as determined by the legislature. Since the state was admitted into the union there have been revisions of the statutes of 1849, 1858, 1871, 1878, 1889, 1898, and a supplement for 1899 to 1900. In 1900 a new policy was adopted. The office of revisor of statutes was created for the purpose of having a continuous systematic revision. Since then after each session of the legislature the general statutes have been published with the new laws enacted incorporated. At each session the revisor has presented certain "Revisors' bills" to simplify, correct and amend and consolidate certain chapters.

L. J. Nash was the first revisor and served until February of this year, when he resigned and C. H. Crownhart, Madison attorney, was appointed to succeed him.

The biggest piece of revision work that Crownhart found confronting him was on the laws applicable to cities. In addition to this work in preparing bills which will bring under one general statute a clear, codified act, Crownhart and his department have prepared codified bills on the laws relating to marriage, birth and death registration, the city budget and tax collection.

Corrected bills covering the pres-

ent laws will be presented to the legislature by Crownhart.

Crownhart's work on the general charter law will finally straighten out the chaotic condition that has existed in regulation on city charters ever since Wisconsin has had cities.

The general city charter law was enacted in 1889 and the special city charters under which Madison operates were all enacted prior to 1892, when a constitutional amendment has forbidden further granting of special charters.

The securing of charters and special advantages of cities prior to 1892 when the law was enacted was a source of much political scandal and bickering. Since 1892 there has been a great amount of legislation affecting cities and there has been no general revision of the city law.

Cities under special charters soon found their provisions inadequate to new conditions. These cities met the situation either by adopting the general charter or some part of it, or by securing passage of general acts applying to all cities of a class. Sometimes the general act would be an amendment to the general charter law; sometimes it would be an amendment to the general municipality law; and sometimes it would find its way into the general statutes hidden away as a fugitive.

It has been found that a decision of the court affecting the charter of one city may be of little help to another city than the one directly involved, because of some difference in charter provisions. Often a decision of the court serves to solve a moot question in one city only to raise a similar question in another city.

DENIES APPLICATION FOR PHONE EXCHANGE IN FERRYVILLE

MADISON, Wis.—The railroad commission this week denied the application of the La Crosse Interurban Telephone company for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to establish an exchange in Ferryville on the ground that another company was already supplying telephone service there and that there had been no complaint that the local company was not giving adequate service.

The continent around the Antarctic ocean is believed to be larger than Europe.

JAPANESE SEAMEN UNITE TO ORGANIZE NATION-WIDE UNION

Organization of Workmen Follows Formation of Ship-Owners' Union

TOKIO.—Formation of a great union of Japanese seamen is planned, covering the whole of the country, and having as its object the protection of the interests of the seamen. The plan may be regarded as a counter move against the Japanese Ship-owners' Union which was established about two months ago, including all the leading Japanese shipping companies among its members.

In Kobe about 5000 seamen are now out of work, while unemployed seamen in Yokohama number about 1000. As the shipping depression continues with a steady increase in the number of tied-up ships, it is feared that marine unemployment will assume a more serious aspect. In the circumstances the seamen have come to realize the greater need of combining themselves to protect their own interests. At present 48 different seamen organizations exist in various parts of the country, the largest of them being the shipping section of the Awakai, the members of which number 15,000. It is now urged that all the organizations should combine to increase the power of the seamen in dealing with their employers.

IN THE MORNING PAPERS A Summary of the News

PARIS.—The Academy of Sciences has awarded the Janssen medal to William W. Coblentz, physicist in the bureau of standards at Washington for his discoveries in connection with rays emanating from the earth and stars.

CHICAGO.—The 25,000 employees of the Standard Oil (Indiana) may become shareholders in the company with the aid of the company after the first of the year, it was announced.

BUZZARD'S BAY, Mass.—Charles Garland, the young man who renounced his right to a million dollar legacy left by his father, James A. Garland of Boston, made a formal statement of his reasons for rejecting the money, disclaiming moral right in the money on account of "a system which serves thousands while hundreds are starved." He said he thought Christ would have done the same.

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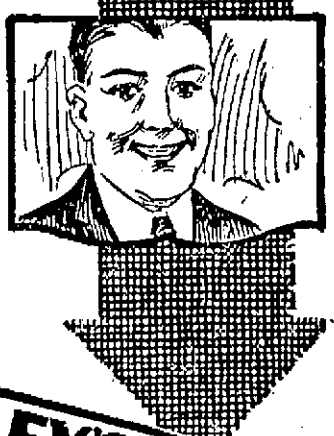
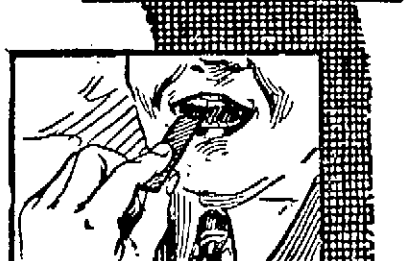
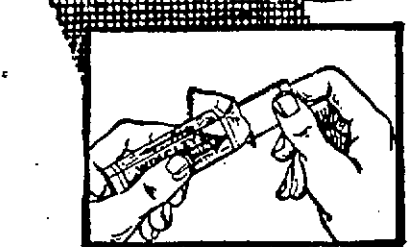
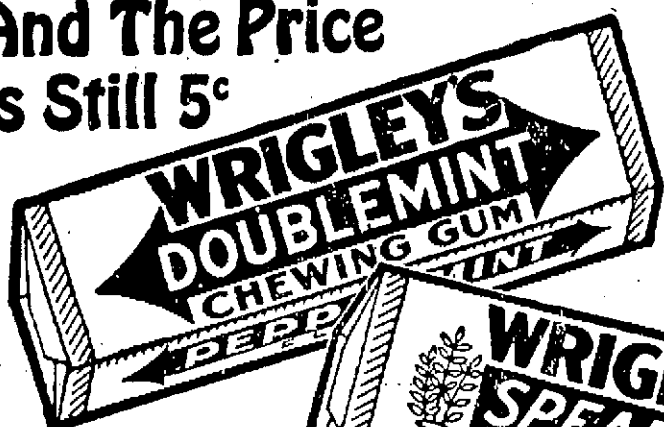
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WEBBER WINS FIRST AND THIRD FALLS FROM GREEK

Third Fall Because of Foul Play on Part of Greek Milo

In the main wrestling go at the arena Monday night, Jack Webber local champion won the first and third falls from the heavier Milo. The Greek had been warned by referee Egan three times about his use of the strangle hold, which was forfeited to Webber. The bout was forfeited to Webber after twelve minutes in the final period when the Greek persisted in using his opponent by the use of the strangle hold. The local wrestler took the first fall in twenty-six minutes using the head scissors and double crossbar hold to great advantage. While Milo won the second fall in eight minutes with the toe hold. Despite the Greek's persistence in the use of the strangle hold and after being awarded the third fall because of foul play, Webber insisted that the bout be allowed to continue having the confidence that he could still win from the visitor in spite of the illegal tactics on the part of the Milwaukee man. Webber was given the third fall in twelve minutes by referee E. M. Egan. The local champion was a favorite to win after the first few minutes on the mat, rushing the heavier man from start to finish. The preliminary bouts were popular and the fans who witnessed the program at the arena last night and were to be all that the bill-boards claimed. Battling Linhart won two successive falls from Sailor Nelson, taking the first in seven minutes and the second in four. In the second card of preliminaries, Westminster Black won two falls from Cyclone Wells. The first went in six minutes and the second thirty seconds. "Smoke" Little refereed the preliminary bouts.

STATE COMMISSH SUSPENDS WELLING FROM BADGER CARD

MILWAUKEE.—Joe Welling Chicago boxer, was yesterday suspended from fighting in Wisconsin for one year by the state boxing commission. After referee Walter Houlehan and other witnesses testified that Welling had made no effort to do this best in a recent bout here with Lew Tendler. Tommy Walsh, Welling's manager admitted that his protégé had made a poor showing, but ascribed failure to get him to speed up to an injured hand, said to have been sustained by Welling in an early round.

BOWLING

Rolling consistent high scores, the Maders took two out of three games from the La Crosse club 60's at the Lotus alleys Monday night. Ott, rolling 318, 204 and 194 was individual point winner for the La Crosse club team. Ed. Horn, with 172, 214 and 211, in the three games was high total winner for the Maders.

The Independents were trounced in three games by the Hotel La Crosse team. Miller's 191, 226 and 214 was high score of the evening, making a total of 631, while Warninger topped the Independents with a total of 582.

LA CROSSE CLUB "60's"		
Hunt	148	209
Burns	176	142
Miller	191	226
Ott	318	204
Low score	171	183
Handicap	28	26
Totals	909	922

MADERS		
Weigel	171	182
Schurter	183	169
Geo. Horn	177	206
Edward Horn	172	214
Ed. Horn	212	189
Handicap	9	21
Totals	951	911

HOTEL LA CROSSE		
E. Hunt	146	171
M. Wittenberg	141	190
A. Mills	138	181
Miller	191	226
Paulson	146	168
Handicap	35	12
Totals	653	943

INDEPENDENTS		
Bruha	152	156
Fries	156	173
E. Voigt	144	175
Ben Ott	140	164
E. Warninger	149	158
Handicap	68	27
Totals	850	715

NINETEEN BADGER PLAYERS RECEIVE FOOTBALL LETTERS

MADISON, Wis.—Nineteen football players at the University of Wisconsin have been awarded "W's" for their work on the gridiron. Those who have been honored by the athletic board are: Wallace A. Barr, Milwaukee; H. G. Barnes, Campbell, Minn.; George Bunge, La Crosse; James Prader, Madison; C. C. Collins, Madison; Allen Dayer, Sheboygan; Alvah Ellett, Muscoda; Otto Eggbrecht, Wausau; E. H. Gibson, Adams; H. H. Holmes, Pocatello, Idaho; Harry Margules, Milwaukee; Gordon E. Nelson, Superior; Howard Stark, Milwaukee; Ralph Scott, Montana; Guy M. Sundt, Stoughton; Gustav Tebell, Plymouth; F. L. Weston, Iowa City, Iowa; Rollie Williams, Edgerton; James P. Woods, Nevada, Mo.

ATLANTA, Ga.—Jack Britton, welterweight champion of the world, was awarded the referee's decision at end of ten rounds with Jack Abel, Atlanta welterweight.

DEMPSEY-GEORGES CHAMPIONSHIP TILT HELD IN ENGLAND?

Promoters Hold Conference to Decide Place of Battle Ground

NEW YORK.—In the event that no suitable place can be found in this country to hold the forthcoming heavyweight boxing championship bout between Jack Dempsey, world's champion, and Georges Carpentier, European titleholder, the contest may be staged in England it was stated here today.

The promoters are known to have held conferences on the choice of a battle ground within the past few days, and it was intimated today that an official announcement may be made within a short time.

Neither Tex Rickard, one of the trio of promoters, nor Jack Kearns, Dempsey's manager, would admit that negotiations had been started to hold the contest abroad but Kearns said Dempsey's formerly expressed antipathy to going outside the United States had been virtually overcome.

TRIBUNE BOWLING LEAGUE

The Gothics were successful in maintaining a perfect record in the Tribune bowling league Monday afternoon when they defeated the Lunatics in three straight games. The team attribute their defeat to the fact that "Pete" Wais, stellar bowler of the aggregation, was off form falling appreciably behind his usual standard.

Boek rolled high total for the Gothics, making 508 in the three games.

The Elzevirs took three from the Centurys. Members of the winning team showed great improvement over previous scores of the season. Kiefer rolled high total for the winners, tumbling 519 pins in the three games.

LUNATICS		
R. Bangsberg	128	137
McCabe	151	123
Wais	183	128
Handicap	54	51
Totals	420	398

GOTHICS		
L. Berny	121	159
Ristow	90	116
Boek	175	173
Handicap	43	50
Totals	420	481

CENTURYS		
A. Fuchs	110	164
Farnacek	93	71
Parrard	157	154
Handicap	51	31
Totals	410	420

ELZEVIERS		
T. Berny	130	141
Schilling	111	116
Teachout	140	201
Kiefer	140	178
Handicap	90	22
Totals	450	450

LOCAL SWIMMERS WIN OVER MADISON IN MEET SATURDAY

"Y" Men Place First in all Events But One; Defeat Madison 50 to 18

The La Crosse "Y" swimmers in their meet with the representatives of the Madison Y. M. C. A. last Saturday were successful in carrying home the honors by a large majority over the Capital city aquatic men, winning the meet by a total of 50 to 18 points.

The local swimmers placed first in all of the events with the exception of the 40 yard breast stroke, this event being won by Woods, of Madison. The La Crosse representatives placed first and second in many of the events which contributed in bringing about their large marginal lead.

Myron Anderberg, winner of the Marathon swim held under the auspices of the local "Y" last summer, was high man in the individual score column, with Kenneth Harrier second, and John Ray and Tom Reay tied for third position in the column.

The results of the events were as follows: 100-yard relay—La Crosse, first (Ken Harrier, Mac Simpkins, Harry Packman and Harold Ahrens); Madison, second (Woods, Teckmeyer, Bates and Myers).

Fancy diving—First, Leo Fischer, La Crosse; second, Rutchiff, Madison; third, Egatz, Madison.

40-yard dash—First, K. Harrier, La Crosse; second, Teckmeyer, Madison; third, Ahrens, La Crosse.

40-yard breast stroke—First, Woods, Madison; second, Tom Reay, La Crosse; third, Harry Packman, La Crosse.

220-yard swim—First, Myron Anderberg, La Crosse; second, John Ray, La Crosse; third, Woods, Madison. 3 minutes, 2 seconds.

Plunge for distance—First, John Ray, La Crosse, 57 ft.; second, Aubrey Bates, Madison, 51 ft.; third, John Lord, La Crosse, 46 ft.

40-yard back stroke—First, Tom Reay, La Crosse; second, Harry Packman, La Crosse; third, Myers, Madison.

100-yard swim—First, Anderberg, La Crosse; second, Ken Harrier, La Crosse; third, Teckmeyer, Madison.

Score—La Crosse, 50; Madison, 18. Individual scores—A. Anderberg, 10; L. Harrier, 9 1/2; J. Ray, 8; T. Reay, 8; H. Packman, 5 1/2; L. Fischer, 5; M. Ahrens, 2 1/2; M. Simpkins, 1 1/2; J. Lord, 1.

MAY NAME SCOTT AS TACKLE ON MYTHICAL CONFERENCE SQUAD

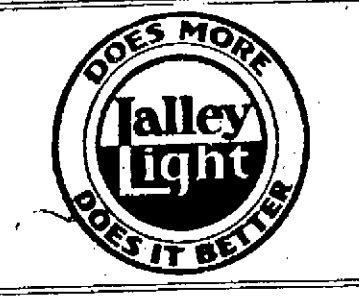
Bunge Only Second to Depler for Position as Center on Eleven

BY BILL WALKER
Ralph Scott, formerly of La Crosse and star tackle on the Wisconsin eleven during the past season, has been considered favorably by many sport writers selecting mythical all-conference eleven for a job as tackle on the first team. With Depler of Illinois, a general choice for center on the first all-conference aggregation, George Bunge has been running strong for the passing job on the second aggregation.

Present indications are that La Crosse will have no representative on the Wisconsin basketball squad this season, either on the first or any of the second or third string aggregations. Several La Crosse basket tossers, however, will compete as members of the fraternity and class teams in league competition throughout the winter.

MEANWELL CANCELS EARLY BASKETBALL SCHEDULE AT "U"

(By BILL WALKER)
Dr. Walter E. Meanwell, coach of the Wisconsin basketball squad, has cancelled all of the early preliminary games on the varsity basketball

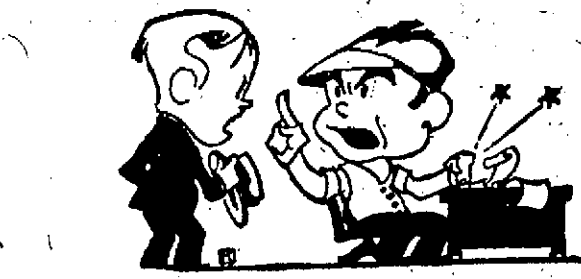


schedule because of his dissatisfaction with the showing of the team that has been reporting to him. He disbanded his early season team and has started building up another aggregation from football candidates starting to report to the squad this week. The cancelled games included contests with Ripon, River Falls normal and Knox college. Knox college according to the new schedule, will be met in the opening game of the year on December 10. River Falls and Ripon will be met the same week. If their schedules do not interfere, La Crosse will be played at La Crosse on December 17 the last day of school at Madison before the vacation, and Marquette university will follow at Milwaukee on Saturday night, December 18.

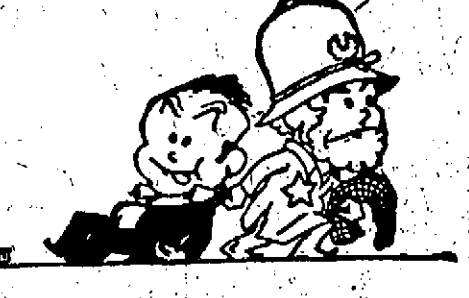
The National Bank of La Crosse

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Loans and Discounts	\$3,653,100.76
Overdrafts	930.62
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	500,000.00
U. S. Bonds and Certificates of	
Indebtedness	222,800.00
Other Bonds	488,900.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	22,500.00
Banking House	50,000.00
Five per cent Redemption Fund	25,000.00
Cash Resources	1,080,652.55
Interest earned but not collected	26,000.00
Total	\$6,071,883.93
LIABILITIES	
Capital	\$ 500,000.00
Surplus	250,000.00
Undivided Profits	147,698.24
Circulation	500,000.00
Reserved for taxes and interest	37,000.00
Deposits	4,603,185.69
Interest collected but not earned	34,000.00
Total	\$6,071,883.93

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"YOU'RE FIRED," said the editor.
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A LIVE story today."
SO THE cub reporter,
DISAPPEARED FOR hours,
BUT WHEN he recovered,
FROM HIS trance, he had
A STORY—here it is.
OUR DEPUTY constable,
WAS WAKENED by the phone,
AND A shrill voice cried,
"FOR THE love of Mike,
BEAT IT here quick,
AND NAIL a nut
WHO'S TALKING wild
IN THE cigar store."
THE LONG arm of the law,
PUT ON his pants,
SPED TO the scene,
AND AFTER a brief,
BUT TERRIFIC struggle,
MADE THE pluck,
AND WHEN interviewed,
BY OUR star reporter,
GAVE OUT this statement,
"HE'S A loony, all right.
THE ASYLUM says, by Heck,
THE WORST they ever had.
WHY THE poor nut
CLAIMS HE can copy
THE SECRET blend,
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Matt Cameron says:
"THEY WOULD."

INSURANCE COMPANY SUES TO RECOVER \$45,000 IN TAXES

Two Suits Brought by Northwestern Mutual, Decision Expected December 14

MADISON, Wis.—A suit involving the collection from the state of nearly \$45,000 has been started by the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance company, Milwaukee, and was heard in the supreme court last week. A decision on the matter is expected on December 14. Two actions were brought by the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance company, each covering separate years of litigation.

Both actions are to recover taxes paid by the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance company under protest, which were assessed by the state for the years 1918-1919. In both cases the tax was based upon interest on so-called policy loans or advances made by the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance company to its policy holders upon the sole security of their policies and under agreements which contained no promise by the policy holder to pay either principal or interest, but provided that in case of non-payment of interest the same should be added to and become part of the principal and bear interest, and when the amount of principal and interest equaled the cash surrender value of the policy the policy would be deemed surrendered and the advance of loan cancelled.

Interest upon such advances or loans to the amount of \$787,455.74 accrued in the year 1918 and, not being paid by the policy holders, was added to the principal pursuant to agreement. In 1919 the interest to the amount of \$721,455.77 accrued and, being unpaid by the policy holders, was likewise added to the principal. The state of Wisconsin claiming that these amounts of accrued but unpaid interest constituted income of the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance company, assessed a tax thereon of 3 per cent. amounting for 1918 to \$23,623.67 and for 1919 to \$21,643.07, which they paid under protest. These actions are brought to recover taxes so paid. It is said that the settlement of this case will have a far reaching effect upon assessments by the state of insurance companies.

COLORED MAN FOUND DEAD AT JANESVILLE WITH BULLET IN HEAD

JANESVILLE, Wis.—Clarence Alcock, colored, aged 50, of Beloit, Wis., was found dead in the home of Maud Floyd, aged 50, colored, at Sharon, Pa., Sunday, with a bullet hole in his head. The Floyd woman and another inmate of the house, named Brown, were arrested and are being held by Sharon police.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CASES UP IN BOSTON COURT

BOSTON, Mass.—Arguments in the Christian Science cases which involve the question of internal control of the entire church organization were begun Monday before five justices of the supreme court—the full bench. Some thirty attorneys were present to represent the various interests in the five actions that had been grounded for argument, including former Justice Charles E. Hughes, of the United States supreme court and John L. Bates, former governor of Massachusetts.

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"They have no use for children whatever."
"It's too bad their parents didn't feel the same way about it."

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Strand—"Madge Kennedy" in "Help Yourself."
La Crosse—"Buddies" Legit.

Anyone who sees the new Rupert Hughes play, "Scratch My Back," at the Rivoli theatre, will have no difficulty in recognizing the "street car hog" in other words the man who insists on holding down a seat at least two seats when the car is full and is careful to place his feet out where everyone can trip over them. He provides some interesting moments for Val Ramey, played by T. Roy Barnes. Val gets on a street car and the "hog" is occupying about two seats and a half and has his feet occupying most of the aisle. Val starts something and he and the husky passenger mix. In order to take the scene director Sidney Olcott obtained a trolley car from the Los Angeles, Calif., street railway, filled it with extras and took the car out for a long trip through the Hollywood section. A 200-pound mechanic from the car barns was drafted to play a role of the "seat hog" and made quite a hit.

MAJESTIC
The attraction at the Majestic theatre is "Let's Be Fashionable," the latest Thomas H. Ince picture starring Douglas MacLean and Doris May and fully up to the standards for marriage which these youthful players have set in their previous vehicles. They have the roles of a newlywed pair, who rent a bungalow in a fashionable summer resort colony and make strenuous efforts to break into the swift society set. Being novices at the game, their attempts result in some humorous complications that persist until the two decide that it is better to be happy than to be fashionable and settle down to a life more in keeping with their pocketbooks.

RIVOLI
The glitter and glamour of the cinema, which appeal to children of all ages from six to sixty, are one reason for the more than ordinary interest displayed in the coming of "Pink Tights" to the Rivoli theatre today only. "Pink Tights" is a romance of the tamed world, the tumbler ring and the "big top."

Its heroine is little Mazie Darnton, known on the bill boards as Mlle Gabrielle St. Simon, whose specialty is to ascend to the clouds in a balloon and call down to earth with a parachute. Mazie is sick of the life she is leading—the ceaseless travel, the dirt and the grime—and she longs to remain in one of the small towns through which they pass.

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silken-lighted Mlle Gabrielle as pictured on the bills and appeal to the young minister to forbid the exhibition. In the meanwhile Mazie, making her afternoon ascension, is carried far from the lot by a high wind, and in dropping from the balloon lands on the roof of the minister's house. The parson stands the shock quite well, but afraid of his effect on the militant woman of his congregation, hides Mazie in his bedroom pending the departure of the committee. And it is this situation which gives rise to a series of the most appealing incidents, leading to a climax as unusual as it is unexpected.

STRAND
Madge Kennedy returns to the Strand screen in her latest comedy "Help Yourself," for today only. It is just the sort of a picture that made Miss Kennedy famous and gives her a chance to display her splendid personality. On the same program is a Saub Pollard comedy entitled "Money To Burn."

CASINO
At Jennings the outlaw bandit makes his initial appearance on the screen today in "The Lady of the Dugout." This is a typical western story with all the thrills, suspense and

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surprises. Mr. Jennings has splendid support and with the added thought that the story is an episode in his life makes it doubly interesting. "Papa by Proxy," a two reel Christie comedy, completes the program.

"BUDDIES" TONIGHT

The "Buddies" around whom George V. Hobart has woven his delightful comedy which the Selwyns will offer this city an opportunity to see on Tuesday, Nov. 20th, at the La Crosse theatre, wiggled their way into the heart of New York for twelve consecutive months in the world of make-believe have ever done. They are such a dear, human group of young American manhood, as one finds them bluffed at in Britain, that no one is surprised that the sweet maid of France falls in love with one of their number, nor that another is fine, and big, and tall enough to all but sacrifice his youthful happiness to protect his youthful mistress from the machinations of a regular dyed-in-the-wool villain.

Olive Reeves-Smith as the peasant lass who gives such a delightful rendition of many of the interpolating songs which B. C. Hilliam has woven into the fabric of "Buddies," Joseph Herbert, Jr., as the Prince Kindness Pollard.

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TODAY ONLY

MADGE KENNEDY

—IN—

"HELP YOURSELF"

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"Money To Burn"

Pollard Comedy

TOMORROW

"Sundown Slim"

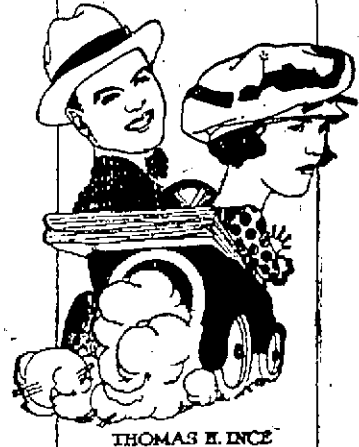
who protects her from the villain, and Denman Maley as "Babe" the bashful hero, contribute greatly to the popularity of this wholesome entertainment which was easily the biggest hit of the New York season last year.

TELLEGEN ON WEDNESDAY

When one considers the artistic excellence of a performance in which the eminent actor, Lou Tellegen, appears as the central character, the La Crosse theatre should be crowded to its capacity on Wednesday, Dec. 1, the occasion being the engagement of this celebrated star, who will appear in person at the head of his greatest American success, "Blind Youth," the comedy drama by Mr. Tellegen and Willard Mack, which enjoyed long runs in New York, Boston and Chicago.

Notably in support of the star will be found such well known people as Lorna Ambler, Juliette Crosby, Helen Grayce, Marcella Bagnier, Kathryn Howard, Richard Simon, George Deenbourg, Schuyler White and Russell Clark, and the production,

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LAST TIMES TODAY: "SCRATCH MY BACK" and "THE BIG SHOW," MONKEY COMEDY:

SAFETY MAGAZINE REVIVED BY STATE INDUSTRIAL BOARD

Wisconsin Safety Review to be
Published Monthly and Dis-
tributed in Factories

MADISON — The Industrial Commission has revived the publication of the Wisconsin Safety Review, a magazine upon accident prevention. This publication was issued regularly from June 1918, to June 1919, but was then discontinued because R. Z. Solensten, the editor, left the service of the Industrial Commission to become assistant secretary of the National Safety Council. P. W. Huelke heretofore with the Railroad Commission, has now been employed by the Industrial Commission as publicity deputy and among other duties will edit the Wisconsin Safety Review. It is intended to publish this magazine monthly and to distribute it among foremen in industrial plants.

The number now issued contains an article by State Chief Engineer Mack, on "Some Random Thoughts on Safety." Mr. Mack believes that the greatest progress in accident prevention can be made through appealing

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to reason rather than to fear. This number also contains an analysis of the 1919 accident experience of Wisconsin, showing the causes of accidents and their costs. A map is published which shows that compensable accidents occurred in every county in Wisconsin, with the largest number in the industrial centers on 1919.

There is also a discussion of the eye accidents in 1919 and the methods through which they could have been prevented. The wearing of goggles is emphasized, and it is pointed out that it is not enough that an employer tells his men that they should wear goggles, but that he must also see that proper goggles are provided and that the men actually wear them.

BOSTON, Mass.—Nitro cocktails have come into favor since the advent of prohibition, according to state department of drug control.

GOVERNORS GATHER IN HARRISBURG FOR ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Fifty-four Executives and Gov-
ernors-Elect Accept Invita-
tions to Meeting

HARRISBURG, Pa. — Governors and Governors-elect from many states arrived here Tuesday for the annual governors' conference, which opens Wednesday. Fifty-four state executive and governors-elect accepted invitations to the meeting. The meeting will continue through Friday.

Pennsylvania state officials will act as an unofficial reception committee and Governor and Mrs. William C. Sprout will keep open house

Tuesday night at the executive mansion.

Several changes in the program have been announced. Governor Thomas E. Campbell, Arizona, will respond to the addresses of welcome by Governor Sprout and Lieut.-Gov. Beidleman, of this state, instead of Governor Thomas E. Bickett, of North Carolina. Governor Henry J. Allen, Kansas, speaks Wednesday on Industrial Justice, and on Thursday Gov. Sprout will speak on State Income.

The housing situation in various states is expected to be among the important topics discussed at the conference.

THREE AMERICANS ARE BLAMED FOR UNREST IN SAMOA

Influenced by Two Officers and
One Civilian Says Naval
Court of Inquiry


WASHINGTON — The recent unrest among the natives in the naval-controlled island of Samoa, in the Pacific, was "influenced by Comman-

der Kall, lieutenant commander Boucher and an American citizen named Greene," said a dispatch received Monday by the navy department from Captain Waldo Evans, the new governor of the island, and head of a court appointed to inquire into the trouble at Samoa.

Captain Evans recommended that Lieut. Commander Boucher be court-martialed. Secretary Daniels authorized the trial of Commander Boucher. Commander Boucher preferred charges against Commander Warren J. Terhune, former governor of Samoa

who committed suicide just after the naval court, under Captain Kall's leadership, arrived at the island. Secretary Daniels said that in his opinion the had "completely exonerated" Commander Terhune of the charges by Commander Boucher.

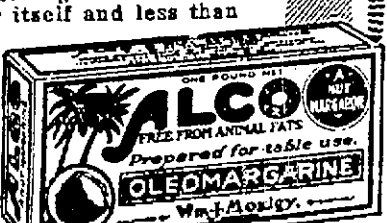
DISCUSS RELATION OF HOBOS TO LABOR
TOLEDO, O. — The Hobos' influence to the labor movement is one of the topics to be discussed at the International Brotherhood of Workers' association convention which opens here Tuesday.



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